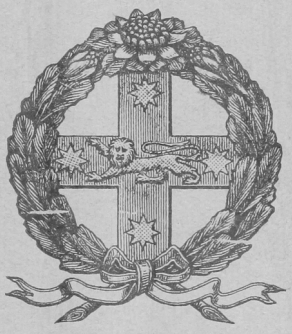
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No. 1.—Population of the State of New South Wales, 30th September, 1930.

	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Population at 30th June, 1930 ...	...	...	...	1,264,577	1,222,158	2,486,735
Births	6,919	6,793	13 712			
Deaths...	3,155	2,365	5,520			
Excess of Births	...	...	...	3,764	4 428	8,192
Interstate, Land—Arrivals	20,272	10,135	30,407			
„ Departures ...	20,237	10,119	30,356			
Excess of Arrivals	35	16	51			
Interstate, Sea—Arrivals	3,034	2,771	5,805			
„ Departures... ...	2,911	2,609	5,520			
Excess of Arrivals	123	162	285			
Oversea—Arrivals	4,838	3,528	8,366			
„ Departures...	4,952	3,568	8,520			
Excess of Arrivals	(—) 114	(—) 40	(—) 154			
Increase by Migration	...	...	...	44	138	182
Population at 30th September, 1930...	...	...	...	1,268,385	1,226,724	2,495,109

Migration during Quarter ended 30th September, 1930.

Country.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Excess of Arrivals.
Victoria (Land)	19,629	19,398	231
„ (Sea)	1 858	2,019	(—) 161
Queensland (Land)	7,249	7,505	(—) 256
„ (Sea)	2,455	2,250	205
South Australia (Land)	1,816	1,754	62
„ (Sea)	459	352	107
Western Australia (Land)	307	307	...
„ (Sea)	420	391	29
Tasmania (Sea)	594	553	41
Northern Territory (Sea)	19	20	(—) 1
Federal Territory (Land)	1,406	1,392	14
Adjustment—Interstate Departures...	...	(—) 65	65
Interstate Migration	36,212	35,876	336
United Kingdom	1,598	1,814	(—) 216
Canada	415	266	149
South Africa	91	148	(—) 57
Fiji	431	366	65
Hong Kong	392	452	(—) 60
India and Ceylon	152	138	14
New Zealand	3,382	3,623	(—) 241
Other British Possessions	671	659	12
Egypt	56	86	(—) 30
Italy	177	140	37
Japan	41	44	(—) 3
South Sea Islands	72	20	52
United States of America	301	345	(—) 44
Other Foreign Countries	587	419	168
Oversea Migration	8,366	8,520	(—) 154
Total Migration	44,578	44,396	182

The minus sign (—) denotes an excess of departures.

During the quarter 88 males and 101 females arrived under the Joint Commonwealth and State Assisted Passage Scheme, including 50 Barnardo lads and 41 Female Domestics.

No. 2.—Nationality of Persons arriving in New South Wales and departing therefrom—Countries outside Australia—Year 1929, and January-September, 1930.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1929.		During January-September, 1930.					
			Arrivals.			Recorded Departures.		
	Total Arrivals.	Total recorded Departures.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British	44,717	40,268	13,081	12,809	25,890	15,840	14,853	30,693
Danish	95	72	37	17	54	51	15	66
Dutch	79	84	47	19	66	49	26	75
French	500	549	279	164	443	222	168	390
German	294	295	176	72	248	187	84	271
Greek	161	181	91	37	128	137	21	158
Italian	727	553	225	134	359	421	88	509
Jugo Slavs	210	242	129	51	180	181	41	222
Maltese (British)	72	115	41	16	57	84	7	91
Norwegian	51	40	18	5	23	9	10	19
Russian	67	91	44	37	81	66	24	90
Swedish	46	59	25	10	35	26	9	35
Swiss	99	107	39	36	75	54	26	80
United States of America	1,674	1,510	589	424	1,013	626	472	1,098
Other European	526	385	185	112	297	217	89	306
Chinese	2,195	2,282	1,422	118	1,540	1,602	147	1,749
Indians	501	378	287	18	305	186	11	197
Japanese	117	122	105	15	120	119	26	145
Syrians	32	27	21	13	34	26	10	36
Other Non-European ...	243	197	102	66	168	96	38	134
	52,406	47,557	16,943	14,173	31,116	20,199	16,165	36,364

No. 3.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1918-30.

Year.	Estimated Population. at end of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1918	1,963,345	50,700	18,840	3,000	13,199	26·09	9·69	6·79	59·2
1919	2,039,723	48,528	26,385	3,507	15,818	24·26	13·19	7·91	72·3
1920	2,092,989	53,974	20,961	3,770	20,183	26·09	10·13	9·76	69·9
1921	2,129,505	54,634	20,034	3,436	18,518	25·91	9·50	8·78	63·0
1922	2,174,553	55,214	19,178	2,980	17,583	25·67	8·92	8·17	54·0
1923	2,211,106	54,112	21,051	3,302	17,507	24·68	9·60	7·99	61·0
1924	2,256,090	53,670	20,821	3,191	18,077	24·07	9·34	8·11	59·5
1925	2,300,081	54,615	20,823	2,999	18,522	24·00	9·15	8·14	54·9
1926	2,349,401	53,126	22,188	3,060	19,219	22·88	9·56	8·28	57·6
1927	2,401,884	53,858	22,770	2,960	20,052	22·68	9·59	8·45	55·0
1928	2,446,874	54,800	22,694	3,008	20,076	22·59	9·35	8·27	54·9
1929	**2,479,147**	**52,672**	**24,615**	**2,982**	**19,535**	**21·37**	**9·99**	**7·93**	**56·6**
Jan.-Sept., 1930	.....	39,400	16,112	2,054	13,264	21·13	8·64	7·11	52·1
Jan.-Sept., 1929	.....	40,201	19,089	2,274	14,371	21·75	10·33	7·78	56·6

The population of the State at the Census of 3rd April, 1921, was : Males, 1,072,424 ; Females, 1,029,544 ; Total, 2,101,968.

NOTE.—The population includes Aboriginals of full-blood, of whom there were 1,597 (males 923, and females 674) at the Census, 1921.

The population is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 3rd April, 1921, was 2,572 (no aboriginals), of whom 1,567 were males and 1,005 females.

Ex-nuptial births in New South Wales numbered 2,748 in 1926, 2,693 in 1927, 2,707 in 1928, 2,720 in 1929, and 1,931 in Jan.-September, 1930.

No. 4.—Arrivals in and Departures from New South Wales, 1918-30.

Year.	Arrivals in New South Wales.			Adjusted Departures from New South Wales.		
	Interstate.	From other Countries.	Total.	Interstate.	To other Countries.	Total.
1918	299,735	38,744	338,479	288,732	39,750	328,482
1919	240,263	93,276	333,539	235,887	43,417	279,304
1920	311,068	72,515	383,583	303,222	60,108	363,330
1921	284,927	57,190	342,117	288,084	52,117	340,201
1922	277,938	53,326	331,264	283,432	38,820	322,252
1923	283,014	48,084	331,098	290,691	36,915	327,606
1924	300,816	55,066	355,882	304,095	39,652	343,747
1925	308,241	55,201	363,442	311,035	42,208	353,243
1926	288,354	62,395	350,749	288,793	43,574	332,367
1927	244,456	65,485	309,941	242,541	46,005	288,546
1928	231,523	60,786	292,309	230,885	48,540	279,425
1929	212,069	52,406	264,475	211,485	48,774	260,259
Jan.-Sept. 1930	133,561	31,116	164,677	134,709	37,294	172,003

No. 5.—Population—Metropolis—1918-29.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Sydney (including Shipping).	Suburbs.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1918	113,700	709,910	823,610	24,920	3·12	811,150
1919	112,220	756,850	869,070	45,460	5·52	846,340
1920	111,210	789,550	900,760	31,690	3·65	884,915
1921	110,430	816,170	926,600	25,840	2·87	913,680
1922	109,970	845,930	955,900	29,300	3·16	941,250
1923	109,970	871,430	981,400	25,500	2·67	968,650
1924	109,180	902,890	1,012,070	30,670	3·13	994,470
1925	106,350	933,040	1,039,390	27,320	2·70	1,024,240
1926	107,880	962,630	1,070,510	31,120	2·99	1,053,180
1927	109,640	991,550	1,101,190	30,680	2·87	1,085,080
1928	110,000	1,017,470	1,127,470	26,280	2·39	1,115,400
1929*	109,000	1,129,660	1,238,660	111,190†	...	1,229,070

* Including Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta.

† Abnormal increase due to inclusion in Metropolis of five municipalities mentioned in preceding footnote.

NOTE.—The population of Sydney and suburbs at the Census, 3rd April, 1921, was 906,103. The Shipping population of the City of Sydney at the Census of 1911 was 6,850, and at the Census of 1921, 6,898.

Up to 31st December, 1928, the Metropolis included the City of Sydney, forty-one municipalities surrounding it, and the islands of Port Jackson. It embraced an area of 181 square miles.

No. 6.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis—1919-30.

Year.	Births. *	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
		Total. *	Under one year. *		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1919	18,685	11,907	1,483	8,575	22·08	14·07	10·13	79·4
1920	22,352	9,429	1,658	11,606	25·26	10·66	13·12	74·2
1921	22,418	8,693	1,414	10,137	24·54	9·51	11·09	63·1
1922	22,090	8,425	1,279	9,621	23·47	8·95	10·22	57·9
1923	21,990	9,390	1,404	9,734	22·70	9·69	10·05	63·9
1924	22,058	9,234	1,262	9,908	22·18	9·29	9·96	57·2
1925	22,036	9,548	1,256	9,889	21·51	9·32	9·65	57·0
1926	21,487	10,220	1,315	10,381	20·40	9·70	9·86	61·2
1927	20,588	10,418	1,161	10,811	18·97	9·60	9·96	56·4
1928	21,151	10,408	1,042	11,009	18·96	9·33	9·87	49·3
1929†	22,347	12,469	1,263	11,488	18·18	10·15	9·35	56·5
Jan.-Sept., 1930	16,622	8,181	855	7,548	17·82	8·77	8·09	51·4
Jan.-Sept., 1929	17,110	9,608	956	8,356	18·57	10·43	9·07	55·9

† Since 1st Jan., 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

Ex-Nuptial births in the Metropolis numbered 1,523 in 1926, 1,194* in 1927, 1,226* in 1928, 1,310* in 1929, and 883* in Jan.-Sept., 1930.

* Since the 1st January, 1927, these figures are based on the usual place of permanent residence.

No. 7.—Vital Statistics of the Metropolis—June and September Quarters, 1930.

Particulars.	June Quarter, 1930.	Sept. Quarter, 1930.	Principal Causes of Death.	June Quarter, 1930.	Sept. Quarter, 1930.
Births	5,333	5,773	Epidemic Diseases ...	57	101
Marriages	2,606	2,097	Tuberculosis of Respiratory System ...	143	136
Ex-Nuptial Births	292	306	Cancer	303	291
Deaths	2,712	2,807	Diseases of the Heart...	478	564
Deaths under 1 year	247	230	Pulmonary Diseases ...	251	241
„ 1 year and over...	2,465	2,577	Diarrhœa and Enteritis	52	26
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—			Bright's Disease ...	177	185
Births	17·17	18·56	Developmental Diseases of Infants	163	165
Marriages	8·39	6·74	Senility	133	97
Ex-Nuptial Births	·94	·98	Accident	137	146
Deaths	8·73	9·03			
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births ...	46·32	39·84			

No. 8.—Principal Causes of Death—September Quarter, 1930, and January to September, 1930.

Cause of Death.	Metropolis.				New South Wales.			
	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1930.			Jan to Sept., 1930.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1930.			Jan. to Sept., 1930.
	Males.	Females	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever	1	2	3	8	4	2	6	38
Measles	19	9	28	31	19	10	29	43
Scarlet Fever	5	7	12	24	11	11	22	41
Whooping-cough	2	2	4	38	10	14	24	122
Diphtheria	7	11	18	60	23	17	40	144
Influenza	5	12	17	34	22	26	48	91
Plague	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Erysipelas	7	2	9	11	9	7	16	26
Infantile Paralysis	1	...	1	3	1	1	2	6
Epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	3	...	3	5	4	1	5	10
Other Epidemic Diseases	1	5	6	22	7	6	13	48
Tuberculosis of Respiratory System	82	54	136	412	158	96	254	753
Tuberculosis, Meninges and Nervous System	3	3	6	21	5	6	11	33
Other Tuberculosis Diseases	8	2	10	33	12	4	16	55
Other Infectious Diseases	16	3	19	54	34	7	41	115
Cancer	137	154	291	925	288	247	535	1,710
Diabetes	14	27	41	98	26	55	81	200
Alcoholism	4	2	6	16	10	4	14	33
Other General Diseases	24	40	64	197	63	76	139	402
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis	12	11	23	40	20	15	35	78
Cerebral Haemorrhage	47	70	117	337	106	113	219	594
Convulsions of Infants	...	1	1	3	3	1	4	10
Other Diseases of Nervous System	46	38	84	237	88	74	162	464
Diseases of the Heart	319	245	564	1,421	565	426	991	2,527
Other Diseases Circulatory System	109	68	177	501	185	114	299	833
Bronchitis	35	21	56	133	76	62	138	296
Pneumonia	88	81	169	478	200	156	356	997
Other Diseases Respiratory System	14	11	25	98	40	28	68	218
Diseases of the Stomach	6	6	12	44	17	10	27	91
Diarrhoea and Enteritis	12	14	26	262	36	29	65	581
Appendicitis	11	11	22	71	25	17	42	149
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	14	9	23	83	25	20	45	153
Cirrhosis of the Liver	5	4	9	42	16	6	22	88
Peritonitis	...	...	...	8	1	3	4	17
Other Diseases of Digestive System	26	22	48	135	45	43	88	285
Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic)	95	90	185	530	207	159	366	966
Other Genito-Urinary Diseases	34	24	58	180	68	33	101	330
Puerperal Septicaemia	...	13	13	30	...	23	23	57
Other Puerperal Diseases	...	27	27	72	...	58	58	165
Developmental Diseases of Infants—								
Prematurity	50	43	93	272	118	99	217	642
Other Developmental Diseases	45	27	72	209	119	75	194	537
Senility	50	47	97	337	127	104	231	734
Violence—								
Suicide	49	4	53	141	82	16	98	259
Accident	114	32	146	431	217	65	282	922
Homicide	3	...	3	13	5	4	9	31
Other Violence	2	1	3	8	4	1	5	18
All other Causes	15	12	27	73	54	21	75	200
Total	1,540	1,267	2,807	8,181	3,155	2,365	5,520	16,112

Note.—Since the 1st January, 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.
The Figures are based on the usual place of residence of deceased.

No. 9.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales with Principal Countries.

Country.	Imports. (Country of Origin).			Exports.		
	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	26,320,855	23,619,283	22,160,199	13,672,444	13,011,047	11,622,586
Canada	1,622,135	1,921,359	1,503,111	312,492	277,437	300,279
Fiji	62,555	49,404	45,537	464,003	492,813	420,745
Hong Kong	10,742	11,066	14,304	166,417	217,989	141,789
India and Ceylon	3,024,188	3,359,247	3,299,057	138,888	786,783	688,304
Irish Free State	451	98	35,328	11,559	92,041	248
Malaya	577,266	394,765	313,010	437,543	399,471	373,250
New Zealand	1,414,989	927,639	753,489	2,519,143	2,467,992	2,613,661
Union of South Africa	491,991	431,060	209,769	150,945	172,372	127,297
Other Oversea British...	1,370,043	1,354,310	1,071,883	1,026,445	1,130,113	900,420
Total, British	34,895,215	32,068,231	29,405,687	18,899,879	19,048,058	17,188,579
Belgium	374,502	306,378	387,500	3,729,040	3,708,508	1,867,749
Czecho Slovakia	273,001	330,799	271,092	19,665	15,916	16,431
China	336,832	338,626	298,539	136,987	288,775	90,594
France	1,614,057	1,659,890	1,437,827	7,158,406	6,643,150	5,202,904
Germany	1,939,335	1,851,637	1,759,412	5,077,241	4,498,985	2,646,366
Italy	544,300	604,497	588,029	1,527,248	1,750,678	842,914
Japan	2,150,265	2,391,399	2,079,794	6,551,326	6,390,395	2,785,514
Netherlands	484,835	678,582	648,306	199,721	199,889	73,736
Netherlands East Indies	2,552,993	3,456,359	2,999,463	506,129	487,604	497,345
New Caledonia	32,151	30,951	34,632	244,602	242,627	138,370
Norway	432,461	292,678	220,474	63	590	886
Philippine Islands	79,882	73,933	77,343	218,235	170,372	155,215
Russia	34,069	62,835	80,498	874,911	597,055	137,719
Sweden	724,592	627,466	635,684	220,740	159,463	24,294
Switzerland	950,257	935,744	723,717	5,079	3,725	4,705
United States of America	16,745,612	16,883,404	13,946,799	5,612,409	3,166,276	3,390,697
Other Foreign	907,907	897,774	876,621	901,248	1,916,824	697,789
Total, Foreign	30,177,051	31,422,892	27,065,730	32,983,050	30,240,832	18,573,228
Country not recorded	.....	.....	610,219	.....	.....	.....
Total, all Oversea Trade	65,072,266	63,491,123	57,081,636	51,882,929	49,288,890	35,761,807

No. 10.—Oversea Imports and Exports of New South Wales.—Monthly.

Month.	Imports.				Exports.			
	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	5,708,265	5,236,620	6,001,173	3,336,617	3,037,645	1,890,742	1,717,308	2,200,863
August ...	6,608,990	5,942,394	5,300,929	2,775,710	4,537,609	2,329,079	1,730,897	1,438,652
September ...	6,023,873	3,914,945	5,965,401	2,724,792	5,679,304	3,704,543	4,072,466	2,238,474
	18,341,128	15,093,959	17,267,503	8,837,119	13,254,558	7,924,364	7,520,671	5,877,989
October ...	6,168,842	6,498,171	4,986,230	2,588,866	4,882,564	4,872,296	3,333,886	3,028,564
November ...	5,715,456	5,352,446	5,924,079	2,405,620	5,607,158	5,634,673	3,802,942	3,086,595
December ...	4,944,217	5,277,015	4,439,693	2,444,499	4,957,125	5,830,362	3,640,418	3,008,014
	16,828,515	17,127,632	15,350,002	7,438,985	15,446,847	16,337,331	10,777,246	9,123,173
January ...	5,528,947	6,067,701	5,488,285	2,012,837	4,860,491	4,095,506	2,442,191	2,123,416
February ...	5,234,074	4,520,656	3,892,108	1,659,368	5,270,376	6,280,544	2,940,075	3,066,658
March	4,860,121	4,866,529	4,800,398	.....	5,952,571	5,553,226	4,251,886	.....
	15,623,142	15,454,886	14,180,791	.....	16,083,438	15,929,276	9,634,152	.....
April	3,933,356	5,223,962	3,863,456	.....	2,023,997	3,391,601	2,156,106	.....
May	5,682,486	5,079,170	3,740,065	.....	2,336,152	3,460,982	3,275,035	.....
June	4,770,824	5,348,006	2,737,535	.....	2,876,421	2,318,841	2,384,687	.....
	14,386,666	15,651,138	10,341,056	.....	7,236,570	9,171,424	7,815,828	.....

NOTE.—The monthly figures of imports and exports are subject to alterations, consequently their total does not agree with the figures in Table No. 9.

No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1929 and 1930, and during the December Quarters, 1929 and 1930.

Article Imported.	Six Months ended 31st December,				Quarter ended 31st December,			
	1929.		1930.		1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.	68,375	22,818	17,900	6,976	29,370	8,864	4,743	1,746
Apparel and Attire	...	312,024	...	107,156	...	132,580	...	42,065
Socks and Stockings	...	286,682	...	34,498	...	120,827	...	10,317
Bags and Sacks—								
Bran, Chaff, and Fodder doz.	142,525	62,216	133,816	43,510	73,810	28,514	70,267	22,360
Corn and Flour ... „	590,901	274,256	1,195,613	438,457	388,812	172,759	811,197	294,202
Woolpacks ... ... „	76,427	177,376	76,897	142,048	1,279	2,881	2,916	5,214
Bags, Baskets, Purses, etc. ...	...	128,899	...	30,573	...	62,610	...	11,423
Blankets, Blanketing, and Flannels...	...	11,258	...	3,698	...	4,830	...	1,633
Books (printed), etc.	...	303,393	...	236,381	...	150,204	...	112,625
Boots and Shoes	...	102,370	...	23,616	...	46,239	...	7,145
Brushware	...	93,435	...	36,105	...	54,031	...	14,265
Clocks and Watches	...	179,454	...	70,267	...	103,990	...	30,033
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	2,283,058	104,007	1,645,559	57,205	967,179	42,798	758,223	25,163
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... „	446,540	29,296	14,868	1,383	265,243	16,183	5,350	299
Copper Pipes, etc... ... cwt.	1,161	8,100	334	1,925	643	4,666	135	779
Copra ... ... „	253,412	252,376	92,432	44,781	108,225	103,828	60,577	27,416
Cosies, Cushions, Counterpanes, Quilts, Table Covers, etc. ...	...	158,470	...	72,185	...	79,545	...	33,431
Cream of Tartar ... ... lb.	312,817	15,078	103,056	5,145	153,725	7,466	7,840	220
Cutlery, Spoons, and Forks, n.e.i.	...	134,284	...	121,323	...	47,297	...	40,724
Dyes	...	27,679	...	23,641	...	11,412	...	11,208
Earthenware, etc.	...	92,351	...	60,856	...	46,315	...	27,344
Fancy Goods	...	233,518	...	154,991	...	116,575	...	59,405
Fish—Preserved in tins, etc., 1,000 lb.	6,452	349,152	2,392	103,448	4,444	244,762	1,380	50,646
Floor Coverings—								
Carpets and Carpeting, etc. ...	...	361,671	...	140,129	...	192,051	...	57,098
Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc. ...	...	231,045	...	50,382	...	132,896	...	16,707
Furniture	...	85,018	...	15,100	...	45,815	...	5,105
Glass and Glassware	...	277,307	...	77,327	...	147,257	...	31,539
Gloves	...	90,014	...	62,922	...	30,736	...	13,579
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, and Matte ... ... oz.	36,901	104,110	29,768	93,325	10,922	31,344	16,318	51,286
Grain and Pulse—								
Maize ... ... cntl.	5	16	32	52	1	2	2	4
Oats ... ... „	1,821	1,022	512	406	954	493	61	27
Rice ... ... „	56,500	40,331	23,073	13,252	36,289	25,805	8,320	4,548
Gums and Resins ... cwt.	44,893	85,539	33,159	39,867	19,938	36,796	15,676	16,280
Hats and Caps	...	198,951	...	37,678	...	80,624	...	9,356
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee... cwt.	149,804	135,150	44,478	51,902	77,378	68,922	20,696	24,790
Structural Girders, etc. „	185,348	81,507	29,190	13,519	119,082	51,652	8,179	3,801
Pig ... ... „	12,520	2,787	6,842	1,592	6,200	1,339	6,742	1,553
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised „	174,931	173,433	40,909	35,738	72,363	71,898	14,034	11,623
Other ... ... „	668,069	528,424	351,054	302,198	301,310	249,911	219,059	180,252
Jewellery and Precious Stones ...	...	171,328	...	45,169	...	63,323	...	15,659
Kapok ... ... lb.	2,011,537	83,508	950,843	27,794	938,802	40,874	432,375	10,434
Kinematograph Films	...	130,966	...	171,919	...	45,208	...	131,116
Lamps and Lampware	...	106,709	...	39,662	...	53,050	...	18,002
Leather	...	46,757	...	11,761	...	22,497	...	4,628
Linseed ... ... cntl.	241,621	218,575	136,413	107,767	89,988	92,247	46,064	32,484
Machinery and Implements—								
Agricultural	...	80,151	..	33,270	...	41,144	...	9,985
Electrical—								
Cable and Wire, covered, cwt.	109,644	474,704	63,783	289,253	51,361	246,999	34,051	137,413
Other	...	1,237,514	...	942,934	...	588,081	...	366,736
Engines	...	254,858	...	149,827	...	123,067	...	51,560
Mining	...	68,850	...	9,908	...	19,575	...	5,091
Motive-power	...	65,858	...	32,771	...	28,896	...	13,680
Sewing	...	100,303	...	34,730	...	48,299	...	17,546
Other	...	1,272,730	...	599,148	...	615,405	...	250,253
Matches and Vestas, gross boxes	133,363	21,437	4	2	79,530	12,986	...	...
Medicines (Proprietary)... ...	...	114,487	...	92,248	...	50,517	...	46,657

No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1929 and 1930, and during the December Quarters, 1929 and 1930—*continued.*

Article Imported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1929.		1930.		1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Metal Manufactures, other than Machinery—								
Pipes, Tubes, and Fittings ...	...	329,722	...	105,907	...	146,153	...	61,149
Wire	...	70,686	...	28,773	...	34,131	...	13,140
Wire-netting	...	2,381	...	...	...	1,002	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	671,498	...	266,598	...	323,419	...	109,208
Musical Instruments—								
Pianos ... ... No.	517	37,714	16	1,340	183	14,330	2	253
Parts	...	11,154	...	2,177	...	3,811	...	63
Oils—								
Petroleum and Shale Spirit, Benzine, etc. 1,000 gal.	40,998	1,334,065	27,486	732,237	21,857	723,310	15,866	404,151
Kerosene ... 1,000 „	5,742	151,800	4,660	105,836	2,781	76,658	1,812	39,443
Lubricating (Mineral) „	3,044,021	253,447	2,627,788	175,892	1,403,693	129,140	1,143,145	74,535
Residual ... ... „	94,634	914	1,082,265	7,689	71,923	598	563,572	4,875
Paints and Colours (ground in liquid) ... ... cwt.	1,526	4,123	173	524	940	2,749	39	271
Paper—Printing	...	798,409	...	431,626	...	396,487	...	205,550
Writing, and Typewriting (plain) etc.	...	137,054	...	93,392	...	69,715	...	40,316
Wrapping	...	71,568	...	41,441	...	41,248	...	16,614
Piece Goods—								
Canvas and Duck	...	134,103	...	75,711	...	64,512	...	31,550
Cotton	...	1,633,184	...	999,194	...	635,209	...	332,438
Linen, n.e.i.	...	90,547	...	47,597	...	36,805	...	20,533
Hessians, Brattice Cloth, and other Jute	...	159,857	...	88,026	...	72,207	...	26,803
Silk, etc.	...	1,559,018	...	849,015	...	544,173	...	289,320
Velvets, Velveteens, etc. ...	...	112,369	...	29,791	...	65,969	...	16,746
Woollens	...	187,856	...	39,662	...	79,082	...	9,642
Other	...	550,739	...	92,312	...	234,233	...	35,266
Rubber Manufactures	...	225,432	...	97,068	...	101,429	...	41,672
Sewing and other Cottons, Threads, etc.	...	162,190	...	105,723	...	75,184	...	36,587
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet, Matte oz.	1,877	208	4,450	290	1,877	208	3,170	196
Specie—								
Gold	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver	...	11,358	...	6,842	...	9,472	...	4,020
Spirits (Beverages)—								
Brandy ... ... gal.	6,794	14,386	2,943	5,781	5,032	11,809	142	416
Gin ... ... „	47,664	33,734	7,990	3,362	23,241	16,184	7,663	3,270
Rum ... ... „	22,999	12,656	1,448	705	3,855	2,287	1,283	623
Whisky... ... ... „	326,756	383,016	142,364	156,046	201,154	233,058	109,833	120,709
Other ... ... „	9,156	7,288	4,676	3,572	5,285	4,108	2,046	1,224
Stationery	...	182,355	...	88,566	...	101,711	...	38,283
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
Talking Machines, etc.	...	95,265	...	36,631	...	45,186	...	12,522
Tea ... ... 1,000 lb.	17,003	1,216,108	12,726	740,890	8,626	596,686	5,599	301,359
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. 1,000 sup. ft.	9,365	107,290	27	723	5,024	58,198	26	659
Logs, not sawn, and Spars „	3,610,155	22,031	2,406,181	12,370	1,422,338	9,823	1,849,484	9,027
Undressed, n.e.i. 1,000 „	93,883	944,017	15,440	133,969	50,452	504,020	5,424	46,267
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	277,898	41,541	223,579	28,127	124,855	17,388	105,169	12,115
Unmanufactured 1,000 „	7,495	694,798	8,742	632,746	2,456	222,627	7,852	556,534
Cigars ... ... „	26,078	32,281	9,663	14,850	13,546	14,422	4,211	6,124
Cigarettes ... ... „	219,057	106,497	73,939	33,667	71,598	34,997	33,473	14,254
Tools of Trade	...	208,749	...	95,507	...	108,650	...	41,529
Trimmings and Ornaments ...	...	145,854	...	87,909	...	63,576	...	29,565
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc., and parts ...	...	186,264	...	48,199	...	95,853	...	23,037
Motor Bodies ... ... No.	2,397	259,281	44	4,686	1,153	133,337	30	3,560
Motor Chassis ... „	14,810	1,476,840	1,754	148,054	5,952	662,341	695	65,127
Other Vehicles and parts ...	...	380,757	...	115,911	...	181,597	...	53,144
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	3,987	8,794	1,208	3,120	1,934	4,390	474	1,248
Still ... ... „	14,968	8,923	5,657	2,951	7,934	4,866	2,567	1,417
Yarns	...	599,817	...	202,367	...	297,816	...	89,888
All other Articles	...	6,073,855	...	3,907,011	...	3,154,953	...	1,824,287
Total ... ... £	...	32,147,354	...	16,276,104	...	15,350,002	...	7,438,985

No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the six months ended 31st December, 1929 and 1930, and during the December Quarters, 1929 and 1930.

Article Exported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1929.		1930.		1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.	48,657	10,682	41,327	8,729	20,052	4,232	21,718	4,659
Animals, Living—								
Horses ... ... No.	647	72,527	650	56,490	486	61,308	330	41,860
Other Animals...	...	32,255	...	3,472	...	17,957	...	1,867
Apparel and Attire	...	34,631	...	33,268	...	20,225	...	21,107
Biscuits ... ... lb.	1,206,786	43,277	928,639	33,607	620,226	22,496	450,857	17,906
Bones, Horns and Hoofs	...	6,427	...	4,658	...	2,784	...	2,367
Books (Printed), etc.	...	32,169	...	30,710	...	16,696	...	16,880
Boots and Shoes	...	6,737	...	7,625	...	3,958	...	3,418
Butter ... ... 1,000 lb.	8,660	632,045	11,340	562,709	8,031	582,760	10,005	474,167
Cheese ... ... lb.	56,611	3,432	60,073	2,982	30,776	1,756	24,326	1,115
Coal ... ... ton	77,484	99,091	166,760	190,684	33,136	42,663	64,215	70,576
Coke ... ... ,,	717	2,142	452	1,304	170	451	155	281
Concentrates—								
Silver and Silver-Lead cwt.	655	550	207	70	...	...	207	70
Other	...	...	...	1,654	...	...	...	651
Confectionery ... ... lb.	227,865	25,331	229,351	22,896	118,694	13,914	124,770	11,631
Copper ... ... cwt.	40,177	169,930	73,119	192,146	23,943	101,231	30,050	77,077
Drugs and Chemicals, Other ...	...	28,805	...	27,967	...	16,766	...	13,544
Eggs ... ... doz.	1,620,572	122,666	2,345,489	138,595	959,898	71,064	1,104,057	64,891
Fertilizers—								
Ammonium Sulphate... cwt.	...	...	1,367	496	...	...	941	359
Bonedust, Superphosphates, etc.... ... ,,	16,603	7,712	1,743	996	4,414	2,441	156	85
Fruits, Dried—								
Currants ... ... lb.	78,612	2,148	65,207	1,220	26,868	698	12,364	262
Raisins ... ... ,,	181,347	5,203	338,161	7,842	20,902	832	119,013	2,458
Fruits, Fresh—								
Apples ... ... cntl.	921	1,833	4,373	7,334	267	545	339	557
Citrus (Lemons and Oranges) ,,	17,960	27,219	66,375	62,225	8,324	13,764	35,519	32,900
Fruits and Vegetables (Preserved)	...	9,215	...	44,787	...	5,693	...	13,486
Furniture	...	10,425	...	6,844	...	6,105	...	3,223
Glue Pieces and Sinews ... cwt.	3,073	4,980	2,476	2,348	1,447	2,842	1,960	1,494
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... oz.	169	705	7,590	32,048	...	...	6,298	26,614
Grain and Pulse—								
Maize ... ... cntl.	535	369	553	253	257	159	383	159
Oats ... ... ,,	319	205	418	212	142	88	136	46
Wheat ... ... ,,	333,059	148,664	4,318,147	1,110,697	89,780	41,706	3,214,718	761,034
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ,,	50,559	29,511	81,239	31,123	27,227	15,033	35,848	13,466
Flour (Wheaten) ... ,,	1,198,305	734,034	1,681,522	681,205	575,108	332,378	833,088	308,623
Hair ... ... lb.	53,647	4,183	40,935	2,480	21,637	1,684	28,475	1,666
Hats, Caps, and Bonnets ...	...	10,027	...	12,538	...	5,928	...	5,931
Hay and Chaff ... ... cwt.	1,774	945	959	462	1,089	595	390	170
Iron and Steel ... ... ,,	60,209	29,123	36,751	16,223	27,179	14,101	16,801	8,391
Jams and Jellies ... ... lb.	124,202	3,821	127,652	4,012	62,608	1,962	73,643	2,252
Jewellery	...	2,972	...	3,564	...	2,138	...	1,637
Precious Stones, Pearls, etc....	...	10,321	...	5,455	...	7,296	...	1,750
Lard ... ... lb.	87,202	3,275	86,607	3,091	45,275	1,713	42,411	1,454
Lead—								
Contained in Matte ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig ... ... ,,	579,532	664,959	509,100	443,567	321,219	356,642	188,596	152,888
Sheet and Piping ... ,,	6,789	9,840	3,262	4,564	3,802	5,430	1,737	2,419
Leather	...	141,630	...	136,824	...	81,154	...	68,819
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. ...	...	5,878	...	3,589	...	3,482	...	1,189

No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the six months ended 31st December, 1929 and 1930, and during the December Quarters, 1929 and 1930—*continued.*

Article Exported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1929.		1930.		1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value
		£		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	245,547	20,782	232,224	13,712	192,781	16,926	193,541	11,088
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef ... ... 1,000 ,,	2,790	57,889	542	11,118	1,382	30,729	395	7,479
Mutton ... { car.	130,333	112,500	130,700	89,107	82,350	67,191	107,908	72,612
{ 1,000 lb.	6,270		6,228		3,890		5,042	
Lamb ... { car.	290,742	241,820	370,236	252,096	191,149	154,071	309,001	208,414
{ 1,000 lb.	9,111		11,946		5,800		9,968	
Rabbits and Hares ... pr.	1,413,447	138,303	1,858,472	152,124	485,783	46,161	379,717	29,892
Potted or Concentrated ...	...	9,880	...	8,502	...	4,751	...	3,714
Preserved in tins, etc. ... lb.	1,132,619	42,924	1,201,963	34,271	607,012	22,997	643,300	13,704
Medicines	...	53,824	...	47,095	...	23,562	...	22,080
Metal Manufactures other than Machinery	...	157,006	...	156,065	...	80,997	...	66,608
Milk and Cream...	...	5,677	...	6,355	...	2,707	...	3,184
Oils—Cocoanut ... gal.	30,919	4,786	18,138	2,535	15,593	2,374	7,031	907
Eucalyptus ... ,,	11,283	6,809	8,538	4,019	6,787	3,750	6,047	2,896
Onions ... ... cwt.	6,977	4,784	10,589	3,658	2,478	1,714	5,523	1,835
Ores—								
Gold (quartz & concentrates) ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver and Silver-Lead ,,	11,709	10,254	1,611	715	10,777	9,388	686	230
Other	...	6,364	...	4,040	...	2,952	...	3,125
Paints and Colours	...	25,693	...	22,089	...	13,862	...	10,145
Potatoes ... ... cwt.	6,388	6,710	10,071	4,713	2,617	2,955	4,454	2,034
Rubber Manufactures	...	46,425	...	30,242	...	18,233	...	17,340
Sausage Casings	...	85,061	...	71,916	...	47,497	...	37,350
Seeds	...	10,079	...	20,087	...	4,238	...	4,875
Silver—Bar, ingot, sheet and Matte. oz.	3,872	403	62,605	4,415	3,218	335	61,254	4,284
Skins and Hides—Cattle No.	263,630	224,941	327,072	193,928	134,400	102,867	173,733	88,692
Kangaroo ... ... lb.	765,954	132,799	714,630	84,606	502,087	88,567	425,296	49,480
Opossum ... ... ,,	110,632	170,215	*167,558	26,793	13,603	17,782	*30,123	4,698
Rabbit and Hare ... ,,	4,397,025	905,244	2,874,270	283,434	858,210	136,438	840,408	62,863
Sheep, with Wool { No.	1,706,566	579,415	1,965,868	405,758	983,658	272,165	909,039	158,986
{ 1,000 lb.	14,478		15,792		7,566		6,958	
Sheep, without Wool { No.	215,316	15,133	53,514	2,233	108,372	7,613	10,590	293
{ lb.	440,239		95,209		209,097		19,740	
Other	...	86,986	...	39,973	...	20,519	...	9,920
Soap—Toilet, Fancy, and Medicated lb.	172,864	9,745	37,722	3,051	78,164	3,495	17,069	1,589
Other ... ... ,,	1,444,680	21,539	1,524,718	20,486	735,712	10,702	766,689	10,092
Specie—Gold	...	1,445,550	...	28,092	...	430,550	...	3,000
Silver	...	3,475	...	57,145	...	650	...	31,296
Stationery and Paper	...	38,770	...	43,882	...	21,560	...	27,221
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	10,616	11,989	7,199	8,419	4,908	5,419	3,828	4,396
Tallow, unrefined ... ,,	133,906	239,765	182,661	248,492	66,423	115,213	133,688	177,866
Timber—								
Dressed—Other super. ft.	361,902	10,058	745,805	13,133	135,236	3,920	288,530	4,826
Logs, not sawn and spars ,,	3,173,141	49,105	3,832,529	54,762	1,821,682	27,722	1,702,403	25,386
Undressed—Other 1,000 ,, ,,	5,528	101,998	5,704	85,764	2,907	55,238	1,997	32,907
Tin Ingots ... ... cwt.	10,531	107,950	5,851	39,234	4,460	43,371	3,913	25,203
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	787,100	149,631	502,610	94,282	418,164	79,899	250,643	47,671
Cigarettes ... ,,	22,959	11,758	11,692	6,030	12,882	6,565	5,488	2,777
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	733	1,534	1,238	1,860	443	859	620	1,055
Still (bottled) ... ,,	25,069	17,127	18,221	11,705	15,336	10,339	12,080	7,559
,, (bulk) ... ,,	17,957	4,475	15,654	3,628	5,723	1,582	7,809	1,822
Wood Manufactures	...	20,572	...	17,132	...	10,996	...	8,184
Wool—Greasy { bale	461,612	7,382,961	577,009	6,682,166	373,557	5,697,437	420,414	4,753,344
{ 1,000 lb.(net)	142,656		181,296		114,586		132,048	
Scoured and { bale	35,594	733,928	37,795	563,410	20,789	391,542	17,486	242,517
Washed { 1,000 lb.	8,531		8,917		5,005		4,096	
Wool Tops ... { bale	443	35,118	1,425	52,282	183	15,969	1,014	41,525
{ lb.	202,501		510,897		90,328		379,709	
All other Articles	...	1,556,269	...	1,045,043	...	756,207	...	536,810
Total ... ... £	...	18,297,917	...	15,001,162	...	10,777,246	...	9,123,173

* Represents number of skins. Previously indicated in lb.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during December Quarter, 1930.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article Imported.		Oversea.*		Interstate.§		State.	
		Weight.	Measurement.	Weight.	Measurement.	Weight.	Measurement.
Agricultural Implements	tons	48	266	209	1,788	...	23
Ale, Beer, and Stout	,,	...	58	...	884	...	13
Bacon and Ham	,,	...	14	...	1,005	9	1,357
Boots, Shoes, etc.	,,	...	48	...	738	...	17
Bullion	cwt.	13¾	...	...	...	...	...
Butter	tons	...	...	...	25	...	9,073
Candles, Tapers, Night-lights	,,	...	4	...	124	93	...
Cement	,,	207	28	1,790	1	133	...
Chaff	,,	...	...	1,256	...	3	...
Cheese	,,	...	4	...	382	...	797
Coal	,,	...	...	6	...	155,702	...
,, (bunker)	,,	...	...	...	...	42,525	...
Confectionery	,,	...	14	...	1,396	...	13
Cordage, rope, twine, etc.	...	...	56	...	277	...	2
Drapery	,,	7	6,712	...	2,317	...	126
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals	...	543	3,736	61	455	10	60
Earthenware	,,	...	2,697	1	152	...	10
Eggs (in shell)	,,	...	...	...	353	...	521
Fish, fresh and frozen	,,	...	228	...	467	1,074	305
Oysters	,,	...	...	...	...	295	...
Flour	...	1	7	631	55	15	2
Furniture	,,	...	171	...	145	...	15
Glass and Glassware	...	126	1,740	...	638	...	91
Grain—Maize	,,	...	...	551	...	739	...
Oats	,,	1	...	1,139	...	...	...
Wheat	,,	3	3	41	...	...	...
Hardware	...	2,193	1,884	650	604	177	79
Hay	,,	28	...	104	...	287	...
Hides and Skins	...	13	707	12	895	...	902
Iron—Galvanized	,,	335	...	5	...	2	...
Pig	,,	25	...	...	...	32	...
Jams and Jellies	,,	...	...	...	1,841	...	5
Leatherware	,,	...	36	...	295	...	23
Machines and Machinery	,,	361	5,182	293	1,139	243	166
Matches & Match-making Materials	,,	...	1,015	...	412	...	...
Milk and Cream, preserved	...	...	159	...	2,401	...	494
Molasses and Syrup	...	1,911	1	5,216	5	1,133	4
Oilmen's Stores	,,	72	1,151	27	972	2	48
Onions	...	...	...	2,311	...	...	...
Potatoes	...	...	...	12,304	1,187	697	...
Saddlery	,,	2	13	...	13	...	1
Soap	,,	...	4	139	197	...	8
Specie	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...
Spirits—Brandy	...	...	4	...	95	...	...
Gin	,,	...	6	...	166	...	...
Rum	,,	...	8	...	62	...	...
Whisky	...	...	898	...	164	...	...
Sugar	,,	...	...	57,986	...	14,142	...
Tea	,,	...	6,922	...	1,382	...	3
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.	,,	...	7,357	...	468	...	2
Vegetables, fresh	,,	...	262	623	275	179	283
Waters, Cordials, etc.	,,	...	55	...	105	...	15
Wines	,,	...	40	...	1,532	...	6
Woodenware	...	...	199	...	320	...	77
Woollens	,,	...	71	...	342	...	...
All other Articles...	,,	173,635	89,891	24,905	33,748	35,265	20,706
Total	tons	179,511‡	131,651	110,260	59,822	252,757	35,247
Animals—Horses	No.		8		35		27
Horned Cattle	,,		...		1		397
Calves	,,		...		2		149
Sheep	,,		36		8		...
Pigs	,,		...		...		6,589
Bananas	case		269		10,395		11,138
Fruit, fresh	,,		474		172,724		25,853
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes	No.		...		107,490		1,764
Timber—Rough & Sawn...	sup. ft.		10,797,729		843,246		4,883,940
Wool—Bales and Butts	No.		253		5,863		13,148
Bags	,,		...		18		1,743

* The total value of all OVERSEA IMPORTS at Sydney, during December quarter, 1930, was £7,270,281.
‡ Exclusive of Bullion, 13¾ cwts.
§ Value of INTERSTATE IMPORTS is not now supplied by the Sydney Harbour Trust.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1928 and 1929.

Article Manufactured.	Quantity.		Value.	
	1928.	1929.	1928.	1929.
			£	£
Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc. ... doz.	6,489,513	6,980,373	931,623	1,071,897
Ale, Beer, and Stout ... ... gals.	28,130,066	29,420,920	3,083,499	3,176,085
Apparel and Attire—				
Clothing—Slop	...	...	2,943,406	2,819,448
„ Tailoring	...	...	1,697,206	1,625,109
„ Other (Underclothing, White work, etc., Shirts, Ties, etc., Waterproof Clothing) ...	...	...	2,280,146	2,300,962
Dressmaking and Millinery	...	...	1,100,177	1,129,054
Other Knitted Garments ... No.	5,738,152	8,862,445	905,020	1,244,392
Socks and Stockings ... doz. pairs	767,214	1,142,192	1,010,584	1,343,990
Bacon and Ham ... ... lb.	24,523,873	22,340,106	1,213,130	1,163,507
Biscuits ... ... „	43,161,976	43,289,522	1,441,716	1,462,757
Blankets and Flannel	...	...	226,304	227,738
Boots and Shoes ... ... pairs	4,794,048	5,123,148	2,541,813	2,632,713
Bricks—Building ... ... No.	439,669,889	437,157,614	1,642,475	1,625,464
Brooms and Brushware	...	...	244,941	280,393
Butter ... ... lb.	96,706,842	91,733,572	7,273,229	7,173,369
Candles ... ... „	3,200,942	2,896,276	119,502	104,297
Chemicals, Drugs, etc.	..	...	2,550,357	2,689,911
Cheese ... ... lb.	7,080,992	6,203,409	303,621	282,755
Coke ... ... tons.	1,013,389	1,003,626	1,508,030	1,441,321
Confectionery	...	...	3,094,650	3,068,532
Electric Light and Power ... ... units.	918,194,210	959,984,800	4,762,974	4,930,839
Flour ... ... tons.	400,363	449,011	4,895,024	4,977,770
Furniture, incl. Seagrass, Wicker, & Bamboo	...	...	2,584,344	2,578,117
Gas ... ... 1,000 cub. ft.	10,700,879	10,683,530	2,208,011	2,139,694
Gelatine ... ... cwt.	20,860	19,860	171,162	174,755
Hats and Caps ... ... No.	2,859,432	2,680,332	950,647	948,292
Ice ... ... tons.	214,328	258,833	438,889	503,605
Iron and Steel ... ... „	350,941	353,921	*	*
Jams and Preserves ... ... lb.	33,042,170	30,579,055	782,153	755,268
Leather ... ... „	18,435,774	19,396,619	1,551,283	1,660,787
Manures ... ... cwt.	391,828	403,960	164,900	174,389
Margarine ... ... lb.	16,376,131	16,627,959	526,346	551,014
Meat—Preserved in Tins ... ... „	3,919,866	4,251,040	167,815	172,627
Metal Works, Machinery, etc.—				
Agricultural Implements	...	...	391,263	454,740
Brass and Copper	...	...	1,541,645	2,023,779
Engineering	...	...	4,890,444	4,897,237
Ironworks and Foundries	...	...	11,416,364	12,378,380
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction ...	...	...	10,011,114	9,813,474
Wirework (including Nails)	...	...	3,089,390	3,232,736
Motor Vehicles and Accessories	...	...	3,398,043	3,672,553
Musical Instruments	...	...	997,435	997,111
Paints, Colours, and Varnishes	...	...	1,654,715	1,788,383
Papermaking, Paper Boxes, etc.	...	...	2,232,679	2,055,040
Pickles and Sauces ... ... pints.	10,073,346	10,419,549	477,741	528,713
Printing, Binding, and Newspapers ...	...	...	6,616,250	6,784,308
Rubber Manufactures and Repair Work...	...	...	2,555,107	3,149,467
Self-raising Flour ... ... lb.	28,562,889	25,636,004	323,038	294,093
Soap ... ... cwt.	460,482	483,531	1,059,784	1,152,735
Soap Extracts, Powders, etc. ... lb.	5,187,589	6,022,338	77,837	87,847
Sugar (the Produce of Cane) ... cwt.	466,980	339,078	532,451	364,175
Timber (Native)—				
Softwood ... ... sup. ft.	48,716,239	44,833,240	635,741	633,454
Hardwood ... ... „	97,858,784	94,696,465	1,171,107	1,116,954
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.—				
Tobacco ... ... lb.	9,478,476	10,134,242	2,944,900	3,064,680
Cigars ... ... „	96,007	86,057	102,344	95,005
Cigarettes ... ... „	5,192,901	5,117,501	1,748,625	1,695,618
Tweed and Cloth ... ... yards.	2,686,341	2,822,663	1,098,641	1,190,526
Wool, Scoured ... ... lb.	24,672,168	19,649,577	3,318,819	2,106,373
Other Manufactured Goods	...	...	63,802,624	65,290,343
Total Value of Goods Manufactured and other Work Done... ...	...	...	181,403,084	185,298,575

* Not available.

No. 15.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year ended 30th June.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels. Oversea and Interstate.	Number of Vessels. State.	Number of Vessels. Total.	Net Tonnage. Oversea and Interstate.	Net Tonnage. State.	Net Tonnage. Total.
1929.	Steam ...	2,282	4,472	6,754	6,965,204	1,317,053	8,282,257
	Motor ...	210	92	302	735,136	35,892	771,028
	Sailing ...	6	...	6	6,868	...	6,868
1930.	Steam ...	2,159	3,661	5,820	6,701,669	1,149,447	7,851,116
	Motor ...	288	82	370	1,051,296	34,890	1,086,186
	Sailing ...	2	...	2	4,093	...	4,093
Half-year ended 31st Dec. 1929.	Steam ...	1,161	2,057	3,218	3,540,385	625,485	4,165,870
	Motor ...	143	41	184	516,491	17,702	533,193
	Sailing ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Half-year ended 31st Dec. 1930.	Steam ...	946	1,845	2,791	3,072,765	608,010	3,680,775
	Motor ...	146	45	191	566,800	17,967	584,767
	Sailing ...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—"Oversea and Interstate" shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcast for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 16.—Shipping—entered and cleared all Ports of New South Wales.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department. "Oversea" and "Interstate" shipping only.)

Year ended 30th June.	Description of Vessels.	Entered. Vessels.	Entered. Tonnage (Net).	Cleared. Vessels.	Cleared. Tonnage (Net).
1929.	Steam	2,683	7,915,654	2,623	7,765,324
	Motor	167	585,686	149	534,593
	Sailing...	16	9,587	20	17,105
	Total	2,866	8,510,927	2,792	8,317,022
1930.	Steam	2,547	7,669,472	2,479	7,499,927
	Motor	239	907,726	237	917,164
	Sailing...	11	4,988	14	2,777
	Total	2,797	8,582,186	2,730	8,419,868
Half-year ended 31st Dec. 1929.	Steam	1,273	3,855,678	1,260	3,845,420
	Motor	124	452,138	108	420,023
	Sailing...	7	700	9	762
	Total	1,404	4,308,516	1,377	4,266,205
Half-year ended 31st Dec. 1930.	Steam	1,362	3,880,267	1,286	3,757,408
	Motor	130	504,397	137	531,596
	Sailing...	3	361	3	209
	Total	1,495	4,385,025	1,426	4,289,213

Shipping—Quarter ended 31st December, 1930.—The shipping entered from beyond the State at each port was as follows:—Sydney—vessels 468, tons 1,711,013; Newcastle—vessels 179, tons 346,160; Bellambi—vessels 2, tons 1,812; Port Kembla—vessels 25, tons 63,757; Ballina—vessels 10, tons 450; Clarence River—vessels 1, tons 933; Coff's Harbour—vessels 1, tons 507; Port Stephens—vessels 2, tons 1,275. Total—vessels 688, tons 2,125,907.

No. 17.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

Period.	Tonnage of Cargo discharged. Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.	Tonnage of Cargo shipped. Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.
1929—Oct.-Dec.—	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Oversea ...	554,306	38,795	7,853	600,954	190,563	14,105	21,595	226,263
Interstate ...	258,792	71,898	88,744	419,434	195,012	144,196	103,270	442,478
Total ...	813,098	110,693	96,597	1,020,388	385,575	158,301	124,865	668,741
1930—Jan.-Mar.—								
Oversea ...	484,096	26,578	14,394	525,068	179,344	7,654	16,664	203,662
Interstate ...	179,572	110,979	58,585	349,136	184,680	241,864	120,094	546,638
Total ...	663,668	137,557	72,979	874,204	364,024	249,518	136,758	750,300
1930—April-June—								
Oversea ...	363,727	19,972	9,558	393,257	171,139	27,982	35,914	235,035
Interstate ...	172,569	164,687	5,945	342,301	142,169	173,065	73,653	388,887
Total ...	536,296	184,659	14,603	735,558	313,308	201,047	109,567	623,922
1930—July-Sept.—								
Oversea ...	345,066	19,652	10,225	374,943	214,875	91,251	19,076	325,202
Interstate ...	218,259	131,236	25,858	375,353	123,804	332,842	30,937	487,583
Total ...	563,325	150,888	36,083	750,296	338,679	424,093	50,013	812,785
1930—Oct.-Dec.—								
Oversea ...	307,890	18,561	5,090	331,541	349,304	65,739	5,305	420,348
Interstate ...	179,857	158,335	14,444	352,636	118,369	335,098	29,051	482,518
Total ...	487,747	176,896	19,534	684,177	467,673	400,837	34,356	902,866

NOTE.—Cargo recorded by measurement has been converted to tons—40 cubic feet = 1 ton.

No. 18.—Consolidated Revenue Fund—Revenue—July to December, 1929 and 1930.

Head of Revenue.	July to December. 1929.	July to December. 1930.	Increase or Decrease (-)
Governmental—	£	£	£
Contributions by Commonwealth under States Grants Act	1,458,708	1,458,708	.....
Taxation (by State)	3,096,411	4,171,269	1,074,858
Land Revenue	634,912	540,750	(—) 94,162
Receipts for Services Rendered	697,577	742,740	45,163
Miscellaneous Receipts	752,973	711,238	(—) 41,735
Gross Total	6,640,581	7,624,705	984,124
Refunds	126,485	171,389	44,904
Net Total (Governmental)	6,514,096	7,453,316	939,220
Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund—			
Sale of Crown Lands	305,871	231,462	(—) 74,409
Royalties on Minerals	40,444	18,552	(—) 21,892
Royalties, etc., on Timber	33,437	14,837	(—) 18,600
Sales of Property	4,785	1,022	(—) 3,763
Other Receipts	7,299	3,018	(—) 4,281
Gross Total	391,836	268,891	(—) 122,945
Refunds	.....	1	(—) 1
Net Total (Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund) ...	391,836	268,890	(—) 122,946
Grand Total ... £	**6,905,932**	**7,722,206**	**816,274**

No. 19.—Consolidated Revenue Fund—Expenditure—July to December, 1929 and 1930.

Head of Expenditure.	July to December. 1929.	July to December. 1930.	Increase or Decrease (-)
	£	£	£
Governmental	8,218,949	8,287,451	68,502
Interest	1,665,123	2,591,874	926,751
Total ... ... £	**9,884,072**	**10,879,325**	**995,253**

No. 20.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1920-30.

Year ended 30th June.	Funded Debt at end of Year. Total (in thousands 000 omitted).	Funded Debt at end of Year. Per Head of Population.	Total Interest Payable.	Net Expenditure from Loans during Year. Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation and Irrigation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, etc.).	Other Works and Services.	Total. **
	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	152,776	73 16 10	6,563,940	2,589,955	2,041,122	444,908	3,718,920	8,794,905
1921	164,336	78 2 5	7,273,902	4,025,038	2,854,495	659,863	7,161,632	14,701,028
1922	176,674	82 3 9	8,118,430	4,789,517	2,744,691	676,642	2,231,882	10,442,732
1923	183,571	83 15 8	8,535,650	4,669,285	2,850,639	451,279	1,822,816	9,794,019
1924	*194,075	87 2 2	9,976,809	3,652,814	2,790,223	379,524	912,919	7,735,480
1925	201,702	88 14 4	9,835,863	4,674,092	2,462,722	615,793	1,423,079	9,175,686
1926	209,793	90 9 1	10,327,519	6,335,943	1,959,255	575,556	2,309,728	11,180,482
1927	†227,724	95 19 11	11,215,341	6,380,610	1,105,618	486,755	2,449,287	10,422,270
1928	245,248	101 3 0	12,122,008	8,335,802	1,710,702	556,011	3,805,104	14,407,619
1929	256,792	104 4 4	12,722,598	6,356,233	1,414,900	851,270	5,626,679	14,249,082
1930	**259,590**	**104 7 9**	**12,817,161**	**5,081,516**	**1,725,524**	**396,359**	**3,675,228**	**10,878,627**
1930‡	**270,908**	**108 18 9**	**13,484,123**	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

PUBLIC DEBT, 1930.—The amount of the total debt floated in London was £156,729,301, in Australia £100,233,116, and New York £13,945,628. The amount of interest payable in London was £7,462,871; in Australia, £5,343,585; in New York, £677,667. The proportion of total debt on each Register was: London, 59·7; Australia, 34·9; New York, 5·4. The average rate of Interest payable on the total Debt was 5·17 per cent.

The debt shown is inclusive of Closer Settlement Debentures, which amounted to £1,170,450 at 30th June, 1930.

*Excluding £16,419,003 raised for renewal of loans which fell due in October, 1924. †Excluding £10,885,149, proceeds of conversion loans outstanding, but not credited to loan account. ‡Total Loan liability to Commonwealth.

** Exclusive of Redemptions of Loans but inclusive of Redemptions of Closer Settlement Debentures £850,000 in 1925-6, £494,767 in 1926-7, £650,200 in 1928-9 and £606,100 in 1929-30.

No. 21.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1924–5 to 1929–30.

Classification.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.
REVENUE.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental :—						
Commonwealth per capita payment £	2,796,928	2,853,850	2,917,411	2,978,343	2,856,479	2,917,411
Taxation—State ... ... £	†8,115,151	†8,850,877	†11,930,050	†10,725,257	†11,841,136	†11,454,307
Land—Alienation	1,061,412	1,077,381	1,043,388	1,102,858	1,139,930	1,021,697
Revenue	984,756	1,049,038	1,166,889	1,173,464	1,104,641	967,929
Total Land ... £	2,046,168	2,126,419	2,210,277	2,276,322	2,244,571	1,989,626
Services (other than Business Undertakings) ... ... £	1,247,549	1,265,654	1,349,554	1,399,083	1,584,020	1,684,005
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,059,794	1,147,250	1,383,512	1,507,116	2,173,978	1,705,452
Industrial Undertakings	7,792	5,637	6,195	5,322	3,756	.....
Total Governmental ... £	15,273,382	16,249,707	19,796,999	18,891,443	20,703,940	19,750,801
Business Undertakings :—						
Railways and Tramways	20,624,793	20,985,362	22,980,486	23,894,940	24,873,506*a*	22,530,162*a*
Sydney Harbour Trust	970,402	1,015,877	1,083,856	1,078,293	1,103,598*a*	1,017,934*a*
Metropolitan Board of W. S. and S.	1,694,313	.....	.....	.....	2,716,184*a*	2,753,690*a*
Hunter District Board of W. S. and S.	216,752	232,218	245,776	294,306	306,911*a*	311,631*a*
Total Business Undertakings £	23,506,260	22,233,457	24,310,118	25,267,539	29,000,199*a*	26,613,417*a*
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, etc.)	42,946	56,867	42,449	39,990	.....	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund £	38,822,588	38,540,031	44,149,566	44,198,972	*20,703,940	*19,750,801
Motor Tax and Motor Licenses ...	*560,467*	*897,664*	*644,278*	*1,330,399*	*1,537,598*	*1,340,670*
Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board	*165,993*	*2,131,471*	*2,266,909*	*2,468,001*	See above.	See above.
Grand Total ... £	*39,549,048*	*41,569,166*	*47,060,753*	*47,997,372*	*51,241,737*	*47,704 888*
EXPENDITURE.						
Governmental :—						
Interest on Public Debt and Special Deposits	3,338,368	2,977,517	3,100,335	3,774,872	3,377,649	3,559,870
Transfer to Public Works Fund ...	363,528	364,470	376,628	390,047	.....	.....
Departments—						
Premier	84,596	73,658	122,370	136,747	262,196	249,715
Chief Secretary and Public Health (including Lunacy)	2,735,871	2,967,648	3,046,290	3,395,244	3,756,245	3,944,779
Treasurer (ex. Business Undertakings, & Interest on Deposits, etc.)	1,152,633	1,038,134	1,044,481	1,103,556	2,069,134	2,424,374
Attorney-General and Justice ...	676,832	709,565	748,121	652,142	873,788	867,429
Lands (incl. Forests 1925 to 1927)..	560,862	542,744	545,924	467,770	466,834	459,602
Public Works (ex. Business Undertakings)	708,025	724,365	803,280	787,277	700,547	685,999
Public Instruction (ex. Endowments, etc.)	4,212,158	4,364,431	4,607,571	4,846,451	5,130,684	5,244,602
Labour and Industry	111,574	110,571	389,165	140,229	112,646	105,582
Mines (incl. Forests 1928 to 1930) .	94,206	112,904	103,525	182,626	186,143	192,302
Agriculture	562,221	586,983	587,728	601,280	737,002	747,239
Local Government—						
Administration, etc.	44,690	47,884	56,392	62,044	66,355	351,939
Endowments and Grants ...	286,851	274,886	157,778	372,725	336,734	
All other Services	1,694,322	1,485,713	1,832,489	2,133,878	2,034,814	2,296,632
Total, Governmental ... £	16,626,737	16,381,473	17,524,077	19,046,888	20,110,771	21,130,064
Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital:—						
Railways and Tramways	20,447,734	22,200,838	23,855,608	25,038,963	25,922,235*a*	25,671,780*a*
Water Supply and Sewerage... ...	1,469,861	175,704	202,881	224,709	296,164*a*	306,357*a*
Sydney Harbour Trust	756,799	794,106	824,885	875,058	983,104*a*	1,011,227*a*
Total, Business Undertakings £	22,674,394	23,170,648	24,883,374	26,138,730	27,201,503*a*	26,989,364*a*
Grants to Public Works Fund... ...	200,000	200,000	225,000	60,000	.....	.....
Other Payments (Advances made, etc.).	77,907	62,214	58,183	48,350	.....	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund £	39,579,038	39,814,335	42,690,634	45,293,968	*20,110,771	*21,130,064
Metropolitan Water Board—Working Expenses	**197,278	**908,401	**946,504	**1,033,396	**966,933	**1,057,670
,, ,, *Interest on Capital*‡	... ...	‡1,200,000	‡1,200,000	‡1,200,000	‡1,250,000	‡1,250,000
Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Board	*560.467*	*897.664*	*644,278*	*1,330,399*	*1,537,598*	*1,340,670*
Grand Total ...	*40,336,783*	*42,820,400*	*45,481,416*	*48,857,763*	*51,066,805*	*51,767,768*

** Including Sinking Fund and Renewals. † Exclusive of Motor Tax and Motor License Fees paid to Main Roads Board (see below) and of costs of collection included below under Services. ‡ Exclusive of interest paid to Consolidated Revenue Account, £49,847 in 1925-26, £211,107 in 1926-27, £193,803 in 1927-28, £185,079 in 1928-29 and £313,125 in 1929-30. * Totals not comparable with previous years. Metropolitan Water Board excluded from Consolidated Revenue from 1-4-25; other Business Undertakings from 1-7-28. *a* Not included in total Consolidated Revenue.

No. 22.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1920–30.

Governmental.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.†					Expenditure.†		
	Taxation. *	Returned by Commonwealth	Land Revenue.	Other Revenue.	Total.	Public Instruction, excluding Endowments.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920	2 8 8	1 4 3	0 18 10	13 1	5 4 10	1 4 6	0 10 6	4 3 8	5 18 8
1921	3 10 9	1 4 3	1 0 7	14 3	6 9 10	1 15 4	0 15 8	4 3 1	6 14 1
1922	3 8 2	1 4 9	0 18 10	18 11	6 10 8	1 18 4	0 15 1	4 10 4	7 3 9
1923	3 11 9	1 4 9	0 17 8	18 3	6 12 5	1 16 3	0 16 10	3 16 6	6 9 7
1924	3 12 4	1 4 9	0 17 6	20 2	6 14 9	1 16 3	1 0 3	4 1 2	6 17 8
1925	3 12 0	1 4 10	0 18 2	21 0	6 16 0	1 17 5	1 9 7	4 3 1	7 10 1
1926	3 17 0	1 4 10	0 18 6	21 7	7 1 11	1 18 10	1 6 0	4 0 0	7 4 10
1927	5 1 8	1 4 10	0 18 10	23 8	8 9 0	1 19 3	1 6 9	4 5 8	7 11 8
1928	4 9 4	1 4 10	0 18 11	24 7	7 17 8	2 0 5	1 11 5	4 7 9	7 19 7
1929	4 16 9	1 3 4	0 18 4	30 9	8 9 2	2 1 11	1 7 7	4 14 10	8 4 4
1930	4 12 6	1 3 7	0 16 0	27 4	7 19 5	2 2 4	1 8 9	4 19 6	8 10 7

* In 1925 and later years Motor Tax and Traffic Licenses, less cost of collection, &c., were transferred to Special Deposits Account, Main Roads Account.

† See table 21 for actual revenue and expenditure.

No. 23.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1920-30.

Business Undertakings.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.†				Expenditure.†			
	Railways and Tramways.	Water and Sewerage.‡	Sydney Harbour Trust.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.*	Water and Sewerage.*‡	Sydney Harbour Trust.*	Total.
	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
1920	7 16 11	12 10	6 6	8 16 3	7 18 6	13 5	5 9	8 17 8
1921	8 12 8	15 6	7 7	9 15 9	8 15 0	14 7	6 2	9 15 9
1922	8 19 11	16 7	7 9	10 4 3	9 1 2	15 10	6 8	10 3 8
1923	8 15 8	16 9	7 10	10 0 3	8 12 11	16 0	6 9	9 15 8
1924	8 16 6	18 7	8 2	10 3 3	8 15 11	16 8	6 10	9 19 5
1925	9 3 1	16 11	8 7	10 8 7	9 1 6	13 1	6 8	10 1 3
1926	9 2 8	2 0	8 10	9 13 6	9 13 3	1 6	6 11	10 1 8
1927	9 15 9	2 1	9 3	10 7 1	10 3 3	1 9	7 0	10 12 0
1928	9 19 1	2 5	9 0	10 10 6	10 8 7	1 11	7 3	10 17 9
1929	10 3 3	2 7	9 0	10 14 10	10 11 10	2 4	8 0	11 2 2
1930	9 1 10	2 6	8 3	9 12 7	10 7 2	2 5	8 3	10 17 10

* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure. † See Table No. 21 for actual revenue and expenditure.

‡ See note * to Table 21.

No. 24.—Trading Banks—Liabilities in New South Wales.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	All other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest. *	Total. *			
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	73,266	960,586	52,878,126	50,495,134	103,373,260	1,601,687	...	106,008,799
1921	71,654	979,076	53,044,965	54,631,451	107,676,416	2,682,336	...	111,409,482
1922	68,953	965,186	52,276,678	54,086,297	106,362,975	1,541,923	...	108,943,037
1923	67,556	2,046,579	54,005,932	62,163,919	116,169,851	1,050,955	...	118,334,941
1924	66,580	1,103,220	53,655,365	58,164,886	111,820,251	1,328,516	...	114,318,567
1925	65,724	1,206,787	55,771,102	65,139,919	120,911,021	2,587,518	368,497	125,139,547
1926	64,990	1,354,516	59,255,212	70,956,687	130,211,899	3,628,290	349,669	135,609,364
1927	64,681	1,331,637	56,468,226	76,067,917	132,536,143	3,479,900	313,034	137,725,395
1928	64,398	1,598,580	55,357,004	83,155,876	138,512,880	4,153,823	298,071	144,627,752
1929	64,115	1,746,319	56,283,642	†78,04^,307	†134,323,949	1,807,230	292,315	†141,233,928
1930	**63,870**	**1,479,146**	**48,287,572**	**†82,130,753**	**†130,418,325**	**7,715,033**	**314,970**	**†139,991,344**
Dec. Qr. 1930	63,570	1,512,238	42,808,591	†83,014,800	†125,823,391	5,013,285	310,116	†132,722,600

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 26. The amount so included on 30th September, 1927, was £10,492,524, and on 30th June, 1928, £10,434,395. Interest is not paid on the whole of these amounts.

† Commonwealth Bank Savings Bank deposits excluded since 1928.

Note.—There are 16 Trading Banks in New South Wales, with 1,164 offices in the State, and 7 in the Federal Capital Territory.

No. 25.—Trading Banks—Assets in New South Wales.

Quarter ended	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes. *	Landed and House Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Government and Municipal Securities Advances and all other Assets.	Total Assets.
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	10,111,791	340,735	13,032,195	2,477,601	892,521	3,354,448	89,063,144	119,272,435
1921	9,791,211	360,738	11,812,417	2,573,628	673,740	2,512,885	104,709,314	132,433,933
1922	10,282,955	335,043	10,176,664	2,620,237	792,442	2,832,745	98,335,071	125,375,157
1923	9,917,391	362,257	10,055,027	2,780,285	857,716	2,856,046	113,053,795	139,882,517
1924	11,321,692	389,420	12,111,578	2,960,035	887,317	4,117,438	112,873,479	144,660,959
1925	13,325,015	3,352,615	13,409,010	3,026,704	915,855	3,449,510	111,475,369	148,954,078
1926	16,336,946	74,851	14,362,800	3,112,343	984,258	2,939,786	123,950,187	161,761,171
1927	12,238,342	5,455	10,762,818	3,025,719	1,426,517	3,386,552	135,439,590	166,284,993
1928	12,126,723	5,425	10,374,870	2,987,197	1,394,478	3,362,486	140,690,523	170,941,702
1929	11,978,374	5,746	11,046,465	3,187,582	705,074	3,082,901	143,822,569	173,828,711
1930	**2,249,926**	**4,873**	**15,767,082**	**3,472,418**	**623,404**	**4,889,830**	**151,023,652**	**178,031,185**
Dec. Qr. 1930	1,140,581	330	15,697,729	3,577,609	535,933	3,110,970	†146,760,366	170,823,518

* Since December, 1924, includes coin with Commonwealth Bank. † Includes £5,650 short term loans in Australia.

Trading Banks' Exchange Settlement, Sydney.

Year ended 31st December ..	1927. £1,034,894,890	1928. £1,033,511,119	1929. £1,043,324,613	1930. £893,158,894

Month, 1929.	£	Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1931.	£
July ...	88,823,041	January ...	78,233,620	July ...	73,741,830	January ...	81,455,295
August ...	84,065,804	February ..	75,504,391	August ...	58,386,051	February...	73,129,904
September	78,677,624	March ...	83,742,8[illegible]1	September	61,736,227		
October ...	89,076,494	April ...	68,572,063	October ...	76,757,220		
November	85,522,501	May ...	76,684,746	November	69,485,906		
December	88,852,189	June ...	71,690,087	December	98,623,952		
	515,017,653		454,427,708		438,731,186		

No. 26.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Accounts on 30th June.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June.	Increase in Deposits during year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Account.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920	1,053,893	49,933,535	2,863,193	47 7 9	24 2 8
1921	1,126,157	57,394,441	7,460,906	50 19 4	27 5 8
1922	1,186,948	61,791,273	4,396,832	52 1 2	28 14 11
1923	1,246,191	64,324,669	2,533,396	51 12 4	29 7 2
1924	1,306,948	66,162,054	1,837,385	50 12 5	29 13 10
1925	1,374,976	69,114,126	2,952,072	50 5 4	30 8 3
1926	1,446,432	73,743,112	4,628,986	50 19 8	31 15 11
1927	1,528,287	78,250,745	4,507,633	51 4 0	32 19 9
1928	1,599,007	81,493,879	3,243,134	50 19 4	33 12 2
1929	1,685,181	85,558,134	4,064,255	50 15 5	34 14 6
1930	1,729,553	82,268,395	(–) 3,289,739	47 11 4	33 1 8
*30th Sept., 1930	1,732,606	78,341,124	(–) 3,927,271†	45 4 7	31 7 11

* Information at end of quarter. † Movement for 3 months.

Note.—The table is exclusive of the Federal Capital Territory (Canberra). Accounts and deposits in the School Savings Bank Department (Government Savings Bank of New South Wales) are excluded, particulars being as follows:—At 30th Sept., 1930.—Accounts, No. 146,006; Amount of Deposits, £211,788. At 30th Sept., 1930, the number of inoperative accounts included in respect of the State Savings Bank was 3[illegible]4,692; Amount of Deposits, £57,528.

No. 27.—Education.

Year.	Public Schools.				Private Schools.		
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars (December Quarter).	Expenditure by State.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars (December Quarter).
				£			
1919	3,124	9,002	288,931	2,270,249	678	3,844	74,936
1920	3,163	9,204	299,691	3,078,906	679	3,810	74,339
1921	3,216	9,594	315,228	3,557,040	677	4,069	78,460
1922	3,213	9,817	321,531	3,733,832	678	4,092	80,247
1923	3,243	10,066	328,248	3,838,711	681	4,181	80,723
1924	3,259	10,400	333,074	4,114,355	693	4,200	82,545
1925	3,216	10,777	336,810	4,197,033	696	4,243	82,188
1926	3,179	11,313	343,187	4,326,365	704	4,320	83,784
1927	3,142	11,550	352,310	4,470,634*	713	4,558	86,084
1928	3,156	12,002	362,549	5,062,031*	721	4,582	87,630
1929	3,153	12,400	371,330	5,159,840*	726	4,647	90,588

*Inclusive of Grants in aid of Public Institutions, Rates and Stores.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.—The enrolment at Technical Colleges during the year 1929 was 33,280.

BUSINESS COLLEGES, ETC.—The enrolment at business colleges and shorthand schools in 1929 was 8,580.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.—Individual Students attending the University during 1929 numbered 2,520 (1,815 males, and 705 females).

No. 28.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital Cost.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Train Miles.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1920	5,015	79,318,917	3,512,863	22,834,889	3 1	114,654,660
1921	5,043	82,304,194	3,234,528	22,792,053	2 10	120,735,140
1922	5,116	85,552,871	4,096,717	21,887,065	3 9	121,298,861
1923	5,318	89,276,871	4,571,359	21,693,861	4 2¾	123,714,639
1924	5,523	93,355,167	4,699,086	21,582,779	4 4¼	128,101,184
1925	5,656	99,623,216	4,829,766	23,304,916	4 1¾	128,532,038
1926	5,742	105,237,668	4,419,039	24,624,995	3 7	130,725,581
1927	5,750	112,789,149	5,110,690	26,325,847	3 10½	141,615,806
1928	5,867	117,984,374	4,273,185	26,896,580	3 2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	4,637,566	27,382,124	3 4¾	151,116,086
1930	**5,974**	**126,318,236**	**2,864,269**	**26,713,951**	**2 1¾**	**147,892,548**
Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1930	6,014	*126,318,236	719,502	6,361,300	2 3¼	33,185,942
do do 1929	5,940	*124,329,422	926,085	6,878,560	2 8¼	38,400,813

* Figures for past year ended 30th June.

No. 29.—State Tramways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital Cost.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Tram Mileage.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1920	226	8,768,548	395,676	26,889,077	0 3½	324,884,651
1921	227	9,060,757	528,486	28,654,172	0 4½	337,689,873
1922	229	9,505,732	594,519	29,318,532	0 4¾	330,938,567
1923	225	9,975,031	505,808	30,071,022	0 4	331,001,822
1924	228	10,758,958	542,385	32,110,054	0 4	340,957,725
1925	229	11,131,454	444,410	33,761,796	0 3¼	339,576,776
1926	229	11,434,523	299,500	34 214,733	0 2¼	339,411,765
1927	210	11,586,050	318,264	34,188,015	0 2¼	347,231,141
1928	210	11,609,078	619,205	34,471,601	0 4¼	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	622,246	34,081,498	0 4½	333,4-6,049
1930	**211**	**11,764,978**	**277,906**	**32,862,832**	**0 2**	**307,789,621**
Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1930	211	*11,764,978	(-)97,813	7,935,613	(-)0 2·96	66,63-,·81
do do 1929	211	*11,743,189	81,799	8,212,096	0 2½	76,393,676

* Figures for past year ended 30th June. (-) Indicates a loss.

No. 30.—Motor Vehicles.

Registrations and Licenses.	In force at 31st December.			Registrations and Licenses.	Year ended 31st December.		
	1921.	1929.	1930.		1921.	1929.	1930.
Registrations—				Licenses (contd.)—			
Cars	28,665	170,039	164,169	Learner's permit ...	10,757	66,208	46,102
Lorries	3,524	42,594	42,278	Receipts (taxes, fees, and penalties)—	£	£	£
Cycles	11,291	30,655	27,258	Motor Traffic Act ...	51,712	411,572	399,900
Taxi-Cabs	407	1,364	1,221	Motor Vehicles Taxation Act	131,025	1,386,565	1,345,801
Vans	376	2,274	2,186	Metropolitan Traffic Act	4,834	10,595	9,445
Omnibuses	180	612	435				
Licenses—							
Driver	52,538	304,309	309,135				
Cycle Rider	16,115	36,784	33,935				
Omnibus Conductors ...	200	1,077	958	Total	187,571	1,808,732	1,755,146

Registrations in force at 28th February, 1931:—Cars 160,248; lorries, 41,480; cycles, 26,593; buses, 610; vans, 2,145; taxi cabs, 1,161.

No. 31.—Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

Year ended 30th June.	Post Offices and Receiving Offices.	Letters, Letter Cards, Post Cards, and all Registered Articles except Parcels carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Telegrams and Cablegrams transmitted.	Telephone Line Connections.
1919	2,599	240,591,473	63,367,875	25,864,897	7,936,453	65,734
1920	2,593	256,062,161	61,407,862	22,993,171	9,044,098	70,700
1921	2,609	262,025,990	63,261,430	24,538,793	8,585,835	74,490
1922	2,588	240,088,479	66,381,106	24,951,225	8,115,582	80,262
1923	2,599	254,196,263	66,647,379	34,569,781	8,138,901	87,598
1924	2,643	270,314,915	71,799,747	51,735,560	8,608,127	97,310
1925	2,664	296,399,293	72,711,100	56,300,600	*6,936,885	107,497
1926	2,679	318,832,176	73,802,200	65,101,000	*7,351,845	117,249
1927	2,682	352,038,712	81,395,900	66,164,500	*7,240,075	127,784
1928	2,683	†	†	†	*7,090,157	137,602
1929	2,698	†	†	†	*7,139,387	146,492

* Exclusive of telegrams received from other States of the Commonwealth. † Not available.

No. 32.—Aircraft in New South Wales.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.				
	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.
Aircraft owners registered ...	4	9	14	39	53
Aeroplanes	6	10	18	53	78
Staff employed—Pilots ...	3	5	11	*141	‡215
Others ...	2	6	11	.....	.....
† Flights—Number	347	5,897	35,829	51,301	46,225
Hours	201	1,593	5,469	10,480	14,801
Mileage (approximate)	13,742	109,880	375,055	758,246	1,118,704
Passengers carried	411	5,337	20,995	29,110	34,811
Goods carried	.....	550 lb.	645 lb.	448 lb.	16,635lb

NOTE.—In New South Wales aerial mails are carried under a contract for a service between Adelaide, Cootamundra, *via* Mildura, Hay, and Narrandera (578 miles), service once weekly in each direction; (*a*) Broken Hill-Mildura (189 miles), weekly; (*b*) Melbourne-Hay, *via* Echuca (233 miles), weekly.

* Licensed Pilots. Includes 96 private licenses and 45 commercial.
‡ " " " 145 " " 70 "
† The great majority of the trips are pleasure trips, and of short duration.

No. 33.—Wireless Licenses Issued and Radio Traffic, New South Wales.

Class of License.	Year ended 30th June.		
	1928.	1929.	1930.
	No.	No.	No.
Coast	1	1	2
Ship	24	11	10
Land	4	6	6
Broadcasting ...	"A" 2, "B" 7	"A" 2, "B" 7	9
Broadcast Listeners ...	79,931	100,798	111,080
Experimental—			
Transmitting and receiving ...	140	193	173
Receiving only	126	21	
Portable	6	6	5
Special	16	21	18
Total Licenses issued	80,257	101,066	111,303

Class of License.	Year ended 30th June.		
	1928.	1929.	1930.
	£	£	£
Total Fees received*...	109,705	120,604	133,265

* The amount due to Revenue included in this amount in 1927–28 was £10,026, in 1928–29 £5,204, and in 1929–30 £35,065.

Coastal Radio Service—	No.	No.	No.
Paying messages ...	36,613	34,590	68,246
,, words ...	683,783	571,590	1,059,455
Service messages ...	1,441	1,314	507
,, words ...	15,938	14,166	18,914
Weather messages ...	5,253	3,230	3,935
,, words ...	105,565	73,074	98,194

No. 34.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat. (grain only)	Maize. (grain only).	Oats. (grain only).	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1920	1,474,174	136,509	76,117	4,827	938,400	4,233	20,043	3,770,155
1921	3,127,377	144,105	77,709	5,519	854,263	4,589	27,673	4,464,342
1922	3,194,949	146,687	69,795	5,400	750,928	4,818	29,494	4,445,848
1923	2,942,857	138,169	74,006	5,879	889,457	5,396	22,568	4,694,088
1924	2,945,335	166,974	86,693	6,733	1,023,717	6,548	21,879	4,808,046
1925	3,550,078	146,564	123,517	7,761	763,287	6,958	23,403	4,911,148
1926	2,925,012	120,955	101,097	8,688	750,605	6,977	22,731	4,541,423
1927	3,352,736	128,516	105,115	10,128	625,616	7,051	21,941	4,595,711
1928	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515
1929	**4,090,083**	**106,835**	**126,743**	**6,783**	**684,730**	**7,077**	**14,830**	**5,440,762**

SEASON 1930-31—The estimated area under wheat was 5,648,000 acres, of which 5,007,800 acres were harve ted for grain, 513,800 for hay, 117,400 acres failed entirely, and 9,000 acres were profitably fed off.

* Exclusive of area double cropped.

No. 35.—Production of Crops.

(In thousands, 000 omitted).

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1920	4,388	4,052	587	91	581	718	50	13,582
1921	55,625	4,176	1,643	131	1,375	674	63	32,373
1922	42,767	3,976	1,170	149	1,029	627	58	20,261
1923	28,668	3,287	1,251	148	1,061	771	36	21,301
1924	33,176	4,623	1,570	132	1,173	1,460	61	20,556
1925	59,767	4,208	2,511	229	1,153	1,171	57	28,785
1926	33,806	3,278	1,616	297	866	1,241	43	20,741
1927	47,541	3,599	1,899	230	878	1,626	53	22,098
1928	27,042	3,931	1,655	209	754	2,295*	47	17,018
1929	**49,257**	**2,506**	**2,184**	**147**	**793**	**1,482***	**26**	**19,923**

SEASON 1930-31.—The estimated production of wheat was 68,181,000 bushels, and the yield of wheat hay 669,300 tons.

* Not wholly the produce of area under vines shown above.

No. 36.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1920	3·0	29·7	7·7	18·92	0·62	170	2·49	3 12 1
1921	17·8	29·0	21·1	23·79	1·61	147	2·29	7 5 0
1922	13·4	27·1	16·8	27·68	1·37	145	1·96	4 11 2
1923	9·7	23·8	16·9	25·17	1·19	168	1·58	4 10 9
1924	11·3	27·7	18·1	19·62	1·15	223	2·79	4 5 6
1925	16·8	28·7	20·3	29·50	1·51	168	2·45	5 17 3
1926	11·6	27·1	16·0	34·20	1·15	178	1·90	4 11 4
1927	14·2	28·0	18·1	22·73	1·40	230	2·43	4 16 2
1928	8·9	26·4	14·4	24·40	1·11	†	2·20	3 8 2
1929	12·0	23·5	17·2	21·70	1·16	†	1·78	3 13 3
Av'ge for 10 years (1920-1929)	12·5	27·2	16·8	25·11	1·21	†	2·19	4 12 10

The estimated average yield of wheat for grain per acre was 8·9 bushels in 1927-28, 12·1 bushels in 1928-29, 8·7 bushels in 1929-30, and 13·3 bushels in 1930-31.

NOTE.—The figures in the above Tables (34, 35, 36) exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.

† Not available. See note to Table No. 35.

No. 37.—Live Stock.

Period, 30th June.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows. (See Note.)	All other.	Total.		
1918	742,247	1,066,089	2,095,628	3,161,717	42,520,000	396,157
1919	722,723	970,448	2,310,228	3,280,676	42,170,000	294,648
1920	662,264	903,023	2,181,309	3,084,332	33,150,000	253,910
1921	663,178	941,742	2,433,525	3,375,267	37,750,000	306,253
1922	669,800	974,087	2,572,443	3,546,530	41,070,000	383,669
1923	660,031	958,287	2,292,893	3,251,180	38,760,000	340,853
1924	658,372	949,135	1,989,387	2,938,522	41,440,000	323,196
1925	647,503	982,850	1,893,404	2,876,254	47,100,000	339,669
1926	651,035	984,501	1,952,629	2,937,130	53,860,000	382,674
1927	623,392	992,419	1,826,234	2,818,653	55,930,000	332,921
1928	598,377	1,002,837	1,845,817	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819
1929	567,371	1,023,187	1,761,428	2,784,615	50,184,950	311,605

The number of sheep in the State at 31st December, 1929, was 50,740,000.

NOTE.—Reference should be made to the "Statistical Register of New South Wales" as to classification of dairy cows and complete information for all years regarding Live Stock.

No. 38.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool. (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1918	322,855,000	80,468,007	7,799,676	18,555,144
1919	340,953,000	66,008,958	5,982,120	16,801,666
1920	352,071,000	63,135,000	6,762,467	16,669,598
1921	275,269,000	84,268,041	6,407,209	16,257,242
1922	333,856,000	100,672,581	7,367,057	20,422,870
1923	336,899,000	73,723,597	5,198,905	19,245,866
1924	303,932,000	72,684,093	5,912,656	19,052,109
1925	369,118,000	117,211,347	7,705,596	21,076,796
1926	402,490,000	106,967,661	6,462,535	22,958,371
1927	499,322,000	96,551,738	6,735,960	24,603,065
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	482,920,000	96,244,230	6,339,052	23,087,271

BUTTER PRODUCTION IN FACTORIES during each month, 1924–30 :—

	1924 lb.	1925 lb.	1926 lb.	1927 lb.	1928 lb.	1929 lb.	1930 lb.
January	8,107,469	14,134,886	13,075,881	11,466,164	12,402,055	8,483,341	11,256,703
February	8,775,135	13,003,966	10,160,676	11,077,760	11,793,900	9,784,653	11,226,810
March	8,881,712	12,816,868	8,492,545	10,346,911	11,619,637	12,090,112	11,621,689
April	7,081,383	10,197,710	8,670,362	8,357,424	9,692,439	10,273,146	9,604,033
May	5,863,285	7,349,965	7,246,991	6,659,143	7,812,714	7,780,453	7,514,365
June	4,177,577	5,437,561	5,058,736	4,615,468	5,231,650	5,087,437	5,523,552
July	3,448,909	4,690,763	4,958,267	3,833,528	4,135,582	4,475,401	4,980,591
August	4,096,458	4,932,319	5,462,144	3,752,986	4,630,912	4,177,526	5,307,967
September	6,612,609	6,839,475	6,623,227	3,788,843	6,086,264	5,654,839	7,244,558
October	9,059,460	8,704,735	8,298,663	5,827,304	8,250,250	8,619,999	9,914,342
November	11,301,933	10,737,251	7,431,828	8,953,118	7,808,092	10,933,161	10,823,414
December	14,642,577	12,946,279	6,688,687	12,009,976	7,335,612	10,152,558	

No. 39.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Article.	September Quarter, 1930.			December Quarter, 1930.			December Quarter, 1929.		
	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Wheat (Milling) ..per bus.	3 10·3	3 9·4	3 1·7	2 8·5	2 7·2	2 4·9	5 3·3	5 0·4	5 2·8
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Flour (in 150-lb. bags) .. per ton	10 0 0	9 19 6	9 2 9	8 12 8	8 3 6	7 15 0	13 4 1	12 15 0	12 15 0
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bran .. .. .. per bus.	16·75	15·83	13·69	11·83	10·35	9·88	19·20	18·74	18·00
Pollard .. .. .. ,,	16·75	15·83	13·96	12·00	11·55	11·28	19·20	20·68	21·60
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Oats .. .. ,,	3 10·8	4 0·5	*	2 9·3	1 9	1 7·8	3 9	3 4·1	3 3·2
Maize .. .. ,,	4 11·7	4 7·7	4 2·5	4 2·5	3 11·8	3 11·5	5 6	5 11	6 5
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hay (Oaten) .. .. per ton	7 9 8	7 12 8	7 5 0	7 16 3	6 7 6	4 2 6	9 3 4	8 17 9	7 13 2
Potatoes (Local) .. .. ,,	7 0 0	6 15 0	5 13 1	7 12 4	8 7 9	7 11 6	24 2 11	21 12 4	9 5 7
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Butter (choicest) .. .. per lb.	19·60	19·50	17·79	16·43	15·25	14·50	22·00	20·81	20·37
Cheese (prime) .. .. ,,	11·58	10·05	9·47	9·08	8·00	7.15	11·75	10·98	9·84
Bacon (sides) .. .. ,,	10·54	10·25	9·85	9·53	9·30	9·40	13·64	13·95	13·90
Lard (bulk) .. .. ,,	8·75	8·77	9·50	9·50	9·69	9·75	10·70	10·42	10·00
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d
Eggs (case) .. .. .. per doz.	1 5·1	1 0·2	0 11·53	0 9·4	0 11·2	1 1	1 1	1 1·1	1 1·6
,, (new laid) .. .. ,,	1 7·7	1 2·7	1 2	1 1·1	1 1·7	1 4·9	1 4	1 4·4	1 6

* No Quotations.

No. 40.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1928 and 1929.

Minerals.	1928.		1929.		Total Value up to end of Year 1929.‡
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
		£		£	£
Gold ... ... oz. fine	12,831	54,503	7,496	31,842	63,667,799
Silver—Ingots and Matte oz.	8,573	936	4,471	392	6,103,666
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ... ton	247,847	2,491,153	285,031	3,032,349	105,390,194
Lead—Pig, etc. ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	6,442,397
Zinc Concentrates ... ,,	314,864	1,118,541	231,237	802,693	22,864,630
Tin Ingots and Ore ... ,,	1,020	231,843	934	191,199	14,388,719
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... ... ,,	55	3,497	176	14,183	15,570,634
Silica ... ... ,,	25,274	8,881	20,699	6,599	228,703
Manganese Ore ... ,,	167	568	233	946	80,242
Coal ... ... ,,	9,448,197	8,263,729	7,617,736	5,952,720	184,388,880
Iron (from local ores)... ,,	56,776	312,268	3,911	17,600	7,493,435
Shale (oil) ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	2,690,710
Limestone Flux ... ,,	70,846	29,942	69,243	25,966	1,202,350
Opal (Noble) ... ... ,,	...	11,000	...	6,071	1,591,833
All other Minerals ... ,,	...	1,836,708	...	1,840,955	10,365,942
Total ... ... £	...	14,363,569	...	11,923,515	442,470,134
Other:—					
Iron made from scrap ...	...	...	...	...	1,416,030
Portland Cement* ton	408,943	1,718,527	433,965	1,780,021	17,347,488
Lime ... ... ,,	44,609	122,936	41,049	112,667	1,595,699†
Coke* ... ... ,,	520,201	852,739	464,360	757,580	13,756,133

* Quantity manufactured and value.
† Includes quantity exported (only) up to the end of 1899.
‡ Up to the end of 1924, production was only recorded in respect of quarries, etc., held under mining title. All quarries are now included.

No. 41.—Factories, 1921-30.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments.	Persons Engaged (including Working Proprietors).			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1921	5,837	112,187	32,824	145,011	31,115,444	25,618,591	137,841,386
1922	6,356	112,362	36,514	148,876	35,229,530	26,783,242	132,820,065
1923	6,703	115,287	37,299	152,586	37,579,386	27,135,647	132,853,608
1924	7,321	121,845	37,829	159,674	41,141,890	29,772,994	146,359,260
1925	7,906	126,496	39,264	165,760	43,553,900	31,520,849	159,608,873
1926	8,196	132,239	41,862	174,101	45,994,534	33,566,546	169,963,146
1927	8,222	138,309	44,884	183,193	48,659,375	37,092,196	179,302,446
1928	8,362	137,936	44,724	182,660	50,489,674	37,818,141	181,403,084
1929	8,465	139,104	46,038	185,142	51,365,710	38,544,687	185,298,575
1930†	8,208	125,668	41,842	167,510	52,862,116	*34,850,043	167,250,618

* Of this amount males received £30,207,379 and females £4,642,664. † Preliminary—Subject to revision.
NOTE.—For return of principal articles manufactured during the years 1928 and 1929, see Table No. 14.

No. 42.—Value of Production—Recorded Industries—1918-29.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production.

(*In thousands*, 000 *omitted.*)

Year ended 30th June	Primary Industries.							Manufacturing Industry.	Total, All Industries.
	Rural Industries.				Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry.	Total Primary Industries.		
	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Dairying and Farmyard.	Total Rural Industries.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1918	32,415	13,685	12,635	56,735	3,737	10,493	70,965	29,500	100,465
1919	34,750	12,280	11,073	58,103	3,708	7,805	69,616	32,768	102,384
1920	40,335	13,582	11,793	65,710	7,760	9,650	83,120	39,314	122,434
1921	20,336	32,373	16,447	69,156	4,089	10,192	83,437	43,128	126,565
1922	25,020	20,261	12,914	58,195	3,628	9,666	71,489	46,746	118,235
1923	36,783	21,301	13,445	71,529	4,810	10,419	86,758	51,596	138,354
1924	39,775	20,556	12,327	72,658	4,204	11,845	88,707	55,661	144,368
1925	46,028	28,785	14,336	89,149	5,039	11,785	105,973	59,044	165,017
1926	42,369	20,741	14,712	77,822	5,609	12,346*	95,777	64,838	160,615
1927	47,822	22,098	14,591	84,511	6,147	12,352*	103,010	69,849	172,859
1928	45,407	17,018	15,273	77,698	5,208	10,436*	93,342	71,805	165,147
1929	43,701	19,923	14,849	78,473	5,144	8,833*	92,450	73,627	166,077

* Excluding the output of quarries valued at £979,000 in 1926, £1,521,500 in 1927, £1,500,000 in 1928, and £1,409,000 in 1929.

Value of Production per Head of Population.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1918	16 17 0	7 2 3	5 10 7	29 9 10	1 18 10	5 9 1	36 17 9	15 6 9	52 4 6
1919	17 13 5	6 4 10	5 12 7	29 10 10	1 17 8	3 19 5	35 7 1	16 13 2	52 1 1
1920	19 15 9	6 13 3	5 15 8	32 4 8	3 16 2	4 14 8	40 15 6	19 5 8	60 1 2
1921	9 14 7	15 9 8	7 17 4	33 1 7	1 19 2	4 17 6	39 18 3	20 12 8	60 10 11
1922	11 15 2	9 10 5	6 1 4	27 6 11	1 14 2	4 10 10	33 11 11	21 19 4	55 11 3
1923	16 18 6	9 16 0	6 3 9	32 18 3	2 4 3	4 15 11	39 18 5	23 14 10	63 13 3
1924	18 0 1	9 6 0	5 11 6	32 17 7	1 18 1	5 7 2	40 2 10	25 3 8	65 6 6
1925	20 8 9	12 15 6	6 7 3	39 11 6	2 4 7	5 4 7	47 0 8	26 4 1	73 4 9
1926	18 8 10	9 0 6	6 8 0	33 17 4	2 8 10	5 7 6	41 13 8	28 4 4	69 18 0
1927	20 7 4	9 8 3	6 4 4	35 19 11	2 12 4	5 5 3	43 17 6	29 15 0	73 12 6
1928	18 18 3	7 1 9	6 7 3	32 7 3	2 3 5	4 6 11	38 17 7	29 18 2	68 15 9
1929	17 17 1	8 2 10	6 1 3	32 1 2	2 2 1	3 12 2	37 15 5	30 1 7	67 17 0

No. 43.—Estimated Number of Persons Engaged in Recorded Industries—1918-29.

(The figures represent the average number of persons engaged during the year.)

Year ended 30th June.	Rural Industries.			Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry.	Manufacturing Industry.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1918	112,500	14,900	127,400	6,800	29,900	90,000	30,500	120,500
1919	113,900	13,600	127,500	7,000	29,100	96,900	30,700	127,600
1920	126,900	14,700	141,600	6,800	27,300	109,800	34,600	144,400
1921	120,600	15,700	136,300	6,700	26,100	112,200	32,800	145,000
1922	120,900	16,800	137,700	6,900	25,800	112,400	36,500	148,900
1923	120,900	16,400	137,300	6,900	28,100	115,300	37,300	152,600
1924	120,300	15,300	135,600	7,800	28,100	121,800	37,800	159,600
1925	123,200	16,300	139,500	8,300	29,500	126,500	39,300	165,800
1926	121,000	16,300	137,300	7,900	29,800	132,200	41,900	174,100
1927	119,900	14,300	134,200	8,500	30,400	138,300	44,900	183,200
1928	120,700	13,500	134,200	8,000	26,700	138,000	44,700	182,700
1929	117,900	10,700	128,600	7,700	27,400	139,100	46,000	185,100

NOTE.—The great majority of females engaged in rural occupations are employed in conjunction with domestic duties, very few being returned as working for wages. Since 1919 a more careful collection has been made of the number of females engaged in rural pursuits, and it would appear that previously about 12,000 females were included each year (*e.g.*, wives of the proprietors) who were engaged wholly in domestic duties. The number of females quoted in the above table for years prior to 1920 represents, therefore, the number as returned, less 12,000.

No. 44.—Average Retail Prices of Food and Groceries—Sydney.

Article.	Unit of quantity.	1930.										1928.		1929.	
		July.		Aug.		Sept.		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.		Dec.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bread	2-lb loaf.	0	5·53	0	5·5	0	5·3	0	5·2	0	5·1	0	5·0	0	5·7
Flour	25-lb. bag.	4	2·6	4	1·4	3	11·2	3	9·4	3	6·5	3	5·0	4	6·3
Tea	lb.	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	1·2	2	0·8	2	1·5
Coffee and Chicory ...	,,	2	1·6	2	1·6	2	1·5	2	1·4	2	1·5	2	1·0	2	2·1
Sugar (small quantities)	,,	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6
Rice	,,	0	3·6	0	3·6	0	3·5	0	3·6	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·7
Sago	,,	0	3·3	0	3·3	0	3·3	0	3·2	0	3·2	0	3·3	0	3·3
Jam (Australian) ...	,,	0	6·7	0	6·6	0	6·7	0	6·6	0	6·4	0	6·2	0	6·9
Oatmeal (plain) ...	5-lb. bag	1	7·4	1	7·5	1	7·6	1	7·0	1	7·0	1	6·7	1	9·0
Raisins	lb.	0	8·8	0	9·0	0	8·8	0	8·9	0	8·8	0	8·6	0	9·2
Currants	,,	0	8·6	0	8·8	0	8·7	0	8·7	0	8·6	0	8·4	0	9·2
Starch	,,	0	9·5	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·3	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·4
Blue	doz. sqs.	1	1·6	1	1·4	1	1·6	1	1·6	1	1·9	1	1·9	1	2·0
Candles	lb.	0	10·6	0	10·6	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·3
Soap	,,	0	5·5	0	5·4	0	5·5	0	5·5	0	5·5	0	5·6	0	5·2
Potatoes	14 lb.	1	10·1	1	11·4	1	7·6	1	8·9	1	9·2	1	9·3	2	3·3
Onions	lb.	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	2·0	0	3·3
Kerosene	gallon.	1	10·1	1	10·2	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	9·9	1	11·0
Milk (Fresh)	quart.	0	8·4	0	8·4	0	8·4	0	8·3	0	7·9	0	7·8	0	8·7
Butter	lb.	1	10·6	1	10·6	1	8·7	1	7·5	1	6·4	1	5·4	2	0·8
Cheese (new & matured)	,,	1	3·9	1	2·7	1	1·9	1	1·6	1	0·5	0	11·8	1	3·2
Eggs, new-laid ...	doz.	1	11·2	1	6·0	1	5·2	1	5·2	1	5·5	1	7·6	1	8·7
Bacon (Middle cut) ...	lb.	1	6·6	1	6·1	1	5·3	1	4·7	1	4·2	1	3·8	1	8·1
,, (Shoulder) ...	,,	0	11·6	0	11·2	0	10·8	0	10·4	0	10·0	0	10·3	1	0·9
Ham	,,	1	10·1	1	9·7	1	9·0	1	7·8	1	7·3	1	6·5	2	0·1
Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin ...	,,	0	11·3	0	11·3	0	11·2	0	10·6	0	10·9	0	10·9	0	10·3
,, Ribs ...	,,	0	8·7	0	8·9	0	8·7	0	8·1	0	8·3	0	8·2	0	7·7
,, Flank ...	,,	0	8·2	0	8·4	0	8·1	0	7·8	0	8·0	0	8·2	0	7·6
,, Gravy ...	,,	0	6·6	0	6·4	0	6·5	0	6·0	0	6·3	0	6·2	0	5·7
Steak—Rump ...	,,	1	4·0	1	4·4	1	4·0	1	3·8	1	4·0	1	4·1	1	2·9
,, Shoulder ...	,,	0	9·0	0	8·9	0	8·7	0	8·1	0	8·2	0	8·5	0	7·3
,, Stewing ...	,,	0	7·8	0	7·8	0	7·7	0	7·1	0	7·3	0	7·6	0	6·4
Beef (Corned)—Round	,,	0	9·1	0	8·8	0	8·7	0	8·6	0	9·0	0	8·9	0	8·0
Mutton—Leg ...	,,	0	7·8	0	7·6	0	7·1	0	6·9	0	7·5	0	7·3	0	8·1
,, Shoulder ...	,,	0	6·0	0	5·9	0	5·5	0	5·3	0	5·8	0	5·6	0	6·0
,, Loin ...	,,	0	9·1	0	9·1	0	8·5	0	8·2	0	8·7	0	8·2	0	9·0
,, Neck ...	,,	0	4·5	0	4·3	0	4·2	0	3·9	0	4·3	0	4·4	0	5·8
Chops—Loin ...	,,	0	10·5	0	10·5	0	10·0	0	9·5	0	9·9	0	9·6	0	10·2
,, Leg ...	,,	0	9·5	0	9·2	0	8·9	0	8·4	0	9·1	0	8·9	0	9·4
,, Neck ...	,,	0	7·4	0	7·5	0	7·1	0	6·8	0	7·3	0	6·9	0	7·1
Lamb—Forequarter ...	,,	0	7·9	0	7·7	0	7·6	0	7·0	0	7·6	0	7·3	0	7·7
,, Hindquarter ...	,,	0	10·8	0	10·6	0	10·3	0	9·7	0	10·3	0	9·9	0	10·8
Pork—Leg	,,	1	2·2	1	1·8	1	0·4	1	0·7	1	1·3	1	0·8	1	2·7
,, Loin	,,	1	2·7	1	2·6	1	1·1	1	0·9	1	1·3	1	1·0	1	2·9
,, Belly	,,	0	11·7	0	11·7	0	11·6	0	10·8	0	11·2	0	10·5	1	0·1
,, Chops	,,	1	2·6	1	2·6	1	1·1	1	1·0	1	1·1	1	1·1	1	2·9

Bread	2-lb loaf.	0	5·53	0	5·5	0	5·3	0	5·2	0	5·1	0	5·0	0	5·98	0	5·7
Flour	25-lb. bag.	4	2·6	4	1·4	3	11·2	3	9·4	3	6·5	3	5·0	4	7·2	4	6·3
Tea	lb.	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	0·9	2	1·2	2	0·8	2	2·7	2	1·5
Coffee and Chicory ...	,,	2	1·6	2	1·6	2	1·5	2	1·4	2	1·5	2	1·0	2	2·4	2	2·1
Sugar (small quantities)	,,	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6
Rice	,,	0	3·6	0	3·6	0	3·5	0	3·6	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·7	0	3·7
Sago	,,	0	3·3	0	3·3	0	3·3	0	3·2	0	3·2	0	3·3	0	3·4	0	3·3
Jam (Australian) ...	,,	0	6·7	0	6·6	0	6·7	0	6·6	0	6·4	0	6·2	0	7·1	0	6·9
Oatmeal (plain) ...	5-lb. bag	1	7·4	1	7·5	1	7·6	1	7·0	1	7·0	1	6·7	1	9·3	1	9·0
Raisins	lb.	0	8·8	0	9·0	0	8·8	0	8·9	0	8·8	0	8·6	0	9·3	0	9·2
Currants	,,	0	8·6	0	8·8	0	8·7	0	8·7	0	8·6	0	8·4	0	9·5	0	9·2
Starch	,,	0	9·5	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·3	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·6	0	9·4
Blue	doz. sqs.	1	1·6	1	1·4	1	1·6	1	1·6	1	1·9	1	1·9	1	2·3	1	2·0
Candles	lb.	0	10·6	0	10·6	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·8	0	10·3
Soap	,,	0	5·5	0	5·4	0	5·5	0	5·5	0	5·5	0	5·6	0	5·3	0	5·2
Potatoes	14 lb.	1	10·1	1	11·4	1	7·6	1	8·9	1	9·2	1	9·3	1	11·2	2	3·3
Onions	lb.	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	2·0	0	3·2	0	3·3
Kerosene	gallon.	1	10·1	1	10·2	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	9·9	1	9·4	1	11·0
Milk (Fresh)	quart.	0	8·4	0	8·4	0	8·4	0	8·3	0	7·9	0	7·8	0	9·1	0	8·7
Butter	lb.	1	10·6	1	10·6	1	8·7	1	7·5	1	6·4	1	5·4	2	0·8	1	11·4
Cheese (new & matured)	,,	1	3·9	1	2·7	1	1·9	1	1·6	1	0·5	0	11·8	1	3·2	1	3·1
Eggs, new-laid ...	doz.	1	11·2	1	6·0	1	5·2	1	5·2	1	5·5	1	7·6	1	8·7	1	9·1
Bacon (Middle cut) ...	lb.	1	6·6	1	6·1	1	5·3	1	4·7	1	4·2	1	3·8	1	8·1	1	7·5
,, (Shoulder) ...	,,	0	11·6	0	11·2	0	10·8	0	10·4	0	10·0	0	10·3	1	0·9	1	0·5
Ham	,,	1	10·1	1	9·7	1	9·0	1	7·8	1	7·3	1	6·5	2	0·1	1	11·2
Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin ...	,,	0	11·3	0	11·3	0	11·2	0	10·6	0	10·9	0	10·9	0	10·3	0	11·9
,, Ribs ...	,,	0	8·7	0	8·9	0	8·7	0	8·1	0	8·3	0	8·2	0	7·7	0	9·2
,, Flank ...	,,	0	8·2	0	8·4	0	8·1	0	7·8	0	8·0	0	8·2	0	7·6	0	9·2
,, Gravy ...	,,	0	6·6	0	6·4	0	6·5	0	6·0	0	6·3	0	6·2	0	5·7	0	6·4
Steak—Rump ...	,,	1	4·0	1	4·4	1	4·0	1	3·8	1	4·0	1	4·1	1	2·9	1	4·7
,, Shoulder ...	,,	0	9·0	0	8·9	0	8·7	0	8·1	0	8·2	0	8·5	0	7·3	0	9·0
,, Stewing ...	,,	0	7·8	0	7·8	0	7·7	0	7·1	0	7·3	0	7·6	0	6·4	0	8·0
Beef (Corned)—Round	,,	0	9·1	0	8·8	0	8·7	0	8·6	0	9·0	0	8·9	0	8·0	0	9·1
Mutton—Leg ...	,,	0	7·8	0	7·6	0	7·1	0	6·9	0	7·5	0	7·3	0	8·1	0	8·2
,, Shoulder ...	,,	0	6·0	0	5·9	0	5·5	0	5·3	0	5·8	0	5·6	0	6·0	0	6·1
,, Loin ...	,,	0	9·1	0	9·1	0	8·5	0	8·2	0	8·7	0	8·2	0	9·0	0	9·5
,, Neck ...	,,	0	4·5	0	4·3	0	4·2	0	3·9	0	4·3	0	4·4	0	5·8	0	6·2
Chops—Loin ...	,,	0	10·5	0	10·5	0	10·0	0	9·5	0	9·9	0	9·6	0	10·2	0	10·6
,, Leg ...	,,	0	9·5	0	9·2	0	8·9	0	8·4	0	9·1	0	8·9	0	9·4	0	9·5
,, Neck ...	,,	0	7·4	0	7·5	0	7·1	0	6·8	0	7·3	0	6·9	0	7·1	0	7·8
Lamb—Forequarter ...	,,	0	7·9	0	7·7	0	7·6	0	7·0	0	7·6	0	7·3	0	7·7	0	7·9
,, Hindquarter ...	,,	0	10·8	0	10·6	0	10·3	0	9·7	0	10·3	0	9·9	0	10·8	0	11·2
Pork—Leg	,,	1	2·2	1	1·8	1	0·4	1	0·7	1	1·3	1	0·8	1	2·7	1	2·9
,, Loin	,,	1	2·7	1	2·6	1	1·1	1	0·9	1	1·3	1	1·0	1	2·9	1	3·5
,, Belly	,,	0	11·7	0	11·7	0	11·6	0	10·8	0	11·2	0	10·5	1	0·1	1	0·8
,, Chops	,,	1	2·6	1	2·6	1	1·1	1	1·0	1	1·1	1	1·1	1	2·9	1	3·4

NOTE—The above Prices represent the average predominant rates ruling about the 15th day of each month.

No. 45.—Index Numbers—Retail Prices, Food and Groceries, Sydney, 1914-29

(July, 1914=1000.)

Month.	1914.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.
Jan...	968	1449	1696	1886	1454	1493	1568	1490	1582	1670	1608	1693
Feb...	993	1477	1750	1869	1405	1480	1539	1493	1565	1592	1572	1711
Mar..	1033	1501	1738	1766	1417	1472	1531	1510	1636	1545	1590	1678
Apr...	1018	1532	1787	1705	1436	1550	1508	1507	1663	1565	1603	1701
May..	1000	1533	1780	1653	1462	1573	1524	1528	1660	1572	1606	1657
June.	1010	1541	1901	1630	1455	1628	1482	1547	1632	1572	1590	1673
July..	1000	1541	1953	1612	1493	1649	1484	1560	1620	1532	1579	1663
Aug...	1009	1533	2007	1592	1531	1674	1477	1575	1614	1585	1567	1681
Sept...	996	1520	2023	1569	1544	1644	1449	1583	1609	1616	1562	1708
Oct...	988	1611	1934	1539	1496	1595	1460	1601	1585	1672	1565	...
Nov...	989	1664	1900	1494	1523	1600	1503	1578	1615	1662	1578	...
Dec...	1029	1650	1885	1439	1505	1586	1497	1608	1648	1628	1582	...

NOTE.—It is considered that the regimen used in the compilation of the above table requires revision. This will be done at an early date, and will probably involve adjustments in the table.

No. 46.—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney, 1911-30.

Yearly—1911-30. [Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Coal. (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Commodities. (100 items.)
1911	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1912	1339	1036	968	1001	1079	1323	1133	980	1129
1913	1069	1033	1043	1039	1107	1379	1093	1003	1092
1914	1135	1016	1009	1079	1105	1669	1128	1220	1137
1915	1648	1099	976	1270	1137	2596	1349	1426	1401
1916	1163	1245	1367	1725	1241	2896	1380	1617	1489
1917	1127	1298	2093	2358	1421	3007	1440	1956	1727
1918	1377	1405	2614	2740	1685	2618	1487	2605	1933
1919	1990	1492	2501	2454	1879	2873	1718	2089	2090
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503
1921	1750	1941	1471	2511	2259	1921	2020	1863	1956
1922	1638	1859	1595	2164	2074	1513	1735	1668	1800
1923	1720	1754	2061	2131	1994	2121	1939	1531	1925
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785
1929	1707	1661	1656	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	1863
1930	1428	1664	1248	2046	1941	2230	1571	1472	1685

Monthly—1928-30. [Year 1911=1000.]

1928.									
October ...	1430	1675	1744	2192	1922	1802	1771	1491	1755
November ...	1438	1677	1733	2192	1921	1764	1727	1476	1747
December ...	1505	1677	1729	2192	1921	1827	1802	1470	1775
1929.									
January ...	1655	1670	1736	2187	1921	1856	1848	1470	1814
February ...	1597	1670	1734	2175	1923	2252	1902	1458	1843
March ...	1539	1658	1755	2177	1923	2597	1858	1470	1861
April ...	1520	1657	1724	2188	1927	2707	1911	1458	1870
May ...	1533	1657	1670	2180	1949	2194	1963	1447	1821
June ...	1587	1648	1671	2158	1952	2178	1933	1447	1824
July ...	1771	1652	1637	2154	1967	2053	1851	1463	1841
August ...	1837	1652	1660	2154	1967	2355	1807	1463	1884
September ...	1929	1651	1669	2149	1966	2378	1784	1472	1923
October ...	1968	1674	1590	2149	1972	2677	1795	1456	1936
November ...	1870	1670	1533	2149	1972	2573	1731	1441	1890
December ...	1675	1673	1492	2149	1997	2671	1723	1441	1852
1930.									
January ...	1694	1670	1469	2159	1976	2690	1652	1464	1848
February ...	1570	1653	1397	2156	1976	2433	1705	1464	1788
March ...	1515	1653	1361	2156	1975	2338	1705	1464	1761
April ...	1574	1649	1341	2152	1957	2109	1675	1464	1738
May... ...	1583	1643	1297	2153	1952	2085	1754	1476	1741
June ...	1550	1635	1273	2020	1916	2244	1749	1476	1721
July ...	1488	1650	1263	1941	1916	2575	1636	1464	1719
August ...	1482	1669	1222	1941	1926	2537	1556	1514	1706
September ...	1267	1668	1164	1965	1930	2206	1450	1514	1613
October ...	1245	1665	1071	1965	1921	1826	1363	1452	1547
November ...	1144	1690	1111	1966	1924	1939	1303	1452	1541
December ...	1025	1726	1009	1980	1923	1777	1302	1455	1493

NOTE—The actual price of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales."

No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1930.

Aerated Water Factory Employees—Adult males, 89/6 (General) to 108/6 (Cordial Maker) per week; adult females, 46/- per week.

Bakers (Bread)—128/6 to 138/6 per week; (Biscuit Factories), 106/- per week.

*Blacksmiths, 113/- per week.

*Boilermakers, 112/- per week.

Bookbinders, 112/- per week.

Boot and Shoe makers—Male, 98/6 per week; females, 42/6 to 58/9; or piece-work.

*Brass Finishers (General), 104/- per week; (Engineering), 112/- per week.

Bread-carters, 108/6 per week.

Bricklayers, 3/- per hour.

Brick-carters—1 horse, 91/-; 2 horses, 101/- per week. 4/- per week extra for each additional horse. 1 ton motor waggon drivers, 98/6 per week, with 5/- per week for each additional ton.

Brickmakers—

Burners, 2/3 9/23 per hour; Machine Men, 2/2 1/23 per hour; setter, 2/3 9/23 per hour; Pitmen, 2/2 19/22 per hour.

Brushmakers—Male, 2/7 3/44 per hour or 109/6 per week; females, 1/3 13/23 per hour or 53/- per week; or piece-work rates.

Butchers—Shopman, 102/- and 109/6; carter, 92/-.

„ Slaughtermen—Mutton, 48/1½ per 100; Beef, 8/12/6 per week.; Pork, 6/13/6 per week.

*Carpenters and Joiners, 2/8¾ per hour; State Award, 2/10 1/11 per hour.

Cabinetmakers, 98/6 and 108/6 per week.

Carpet and linoleum layers 107/6 per week.

Cigarmakers, 97/- per week; 1/5 to 12/4½ per 100 according to shape.

Clerks—Males, 90/-; females, 51/9 per week.

„ Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 26/- to 90/-; females, 23/9 to 41/9 per week.

„ Solicitors (under 16 to 23 years)—Males 20/- to 100/- per week; females 12/- to 60/-.

„ Wholesale Hardware, General Merchants, and Importers—Males (Ledger-keepers and Cashiers) 102/6 per week; junior (16 to 23 years), 19/11 to 97/6; females, 20/4 to 58/6. Typistes, and or Stenographers (females), 23 years and over, 64/6 and 66/- per week.

„ *Permanent Wharf—83/6 to 95/6 per week.

„ Casual Wharf—2/10 per hour.

„ Office Assistants (Retail Shops)—Males 85/6 to 107/6 per week; females, 47/- to 60/6.

Coach-painters, 111/- per week } Road.
Coach-smiths, 111/- per week }

Coal lumpers, 3/0½ per hour, day work; 4/6 per hour, night work.

Compositors (hand)—Journeymen, 112/- per week, 12/- extra for night work.

„ (machine)—124/- per week; 12/- extra for night work.

„ „ Piece-work.—5d. per 1000 ens (day); 5½d. per 1000 ens (night). plus 2/- per week basic wage increase.

*Coopers, 112/- per week.

*Coppersmiths, 113/- per week.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

*Dressmakers, 60/6, White-workers, 54/6

Milliners—Machinists, 53/- per week.

Electricians—Mechanics, 2/8 1/12 per hour; Fitters, 2/9 1/12 per hour.

Engine-drivers, 95/1 to 116/5 per week; Firemen, 92/5 to 95/5 per week.

*Engineering, Machinists, 109/- to 112/- per week.

Farriers—Firemen, 111/- per week.

„ Floormen, 106/- per week.

French-polishers—98/6 and 108/6 per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers, 103/6 to 113/6 per week.

Hotel Employees—

Cooks (male), 92/6 to 197/6 per week.
Cooks (female), 58/6 to 121/6 per week.
Waiters, 84/6 per week.
Waitresses, 54/6 per week.
Barmen, 94/6 per week.
Barmaids, 70/- per week.
Storemen, 97/6 per week.
Kitchenmen, 84/6 to 90/6 per week.

} Hotel employees provided with board to receive 16/6 per week less than wages prescribed.

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

*Jam Factory Workers—

Males, 87/6 to 113/6 per week.
Females, 45/6 to 63/6 per week.

Labourers—Builders', 2/3¼; General, 2/1 1/21 to 2/8 2/21 per hour.

Letter-press Machinists, 112/- per week.

Lithographers, 112/- per week.

*Moulders, 112/- per week.

Painters (General), 2/7 1/22 per hour.

*Patternmakers, 121/- per week.

Plasterers, 3/- per hour.

Plumbers, 2/10 1/22 per hour.

Quarrymen (Sandstone), 2/6 7/22 and 2/9 3/10 per hour.

Roofing Tile Makers—Burners, 17/11 5/11 per shift; Machine Men, 2/2 1/22 per hour; Setter, 2/3 1/22 per hour; Pitmen, 2/3 3/22 per hour.

*Saw-mill Employees—Machinists, 91/- to 109/-; Saw Sharpeners, 103/-; Sawyers, 91/- to 112/- per week.

Sheet Metal Workers, 2/0 3/11 to 2/7 10/11 per hour.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers—Males, 85/6 to 95/-; females, 57/- to 62/-, according to age. Tobacconists—Males, 85/6 to 91/-; females, 47/- to 59/-, according to age. Drapers, Ironmongers, etc., adults—Males, 85/6 to 100/- per week; females, 46/- to 58/- per week.

Slaters, 2/10½ per hour.

Stone-masons, 3/3 per hour.

Storemen, per week—Wharf, 96/6; Hardware, 90/6 to 120/-; Packers, 93/6 to 95/6; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/6; Packers, 93/6 to 120/6; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 91/-; Packers, 88/- and 92/6; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 117/-; Packers, 92/- to 117/-; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/-; Packers, 92/- to 120/-; Storemen, n.e.i. 94/6 to 106/-; Packers, n.e.i. 96/- to 108/6; Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores Storemen and Packers—92/6 to 113/6 per week. Retail Stores—Storemen and Packers, 93/6 to 101/-. Oil and Colour Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 96/6 to 109/-; Bonded and Free Stores—Storemen and Packers, 97/6 per week.

* Commonwealth Award.

No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1930—*continued.*

*Tailors—Journeymen, 108/- per week.
" Cutters—Men's Garments—111/- to 118/- per week.
" Trimmers 108/- per week.
" Fitters 108/- per week.
" Machinists 108/- per week.
" Pressers, 108/- per week.
" Piece-work—log rates.
*Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 60/6 per week.
" (trousers and vest hands), order, 55/- per week.
" Ready-made clothing for men—
Journeywomen on coats, 58/- p. wk.
Journeywomen on trousers and vests, 53/- per week.
" Piece-work, order—log rates.

Textile Workers—Males, 85/6 to 103/-; Females, 49/3 to 76/6 per week.

Tile-layers, 2/8⅜ per hour.

Tinsmiths, 2/0 3/11 to 2/7 10/11 per hour.

Trolly and Draymen—

Timber-carters, 1 horse, 93/6; 2 horses, 98/6; 3 horses, 103/6; 4 horses, 107/6 per week.

Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 per week to 1 ton carrying capacity; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part to 3 tons; over 3 tons 4/- extra.

Carters (General)—1 Horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Casual Drivers—1 horse, 2/5 3/11 per hour, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.

Tip-carters, 1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; 4/- per week for each extra horse. Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton to 3 tons, 4/- extra for each additional ton or part.

Carters, Retail Stores—1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses 103/6 per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Ice Carters—1 horse, 91/6 per week; 2 horses, 94/6 per week.

Carters and Motor Waggon Drivers—

Laundry Carters—1 horse, 93/6 per week; with 5/- per week for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—95/6 per week up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part thereof.

Milk Carters—Ordinary delivery, 97/- per week; bulk—1 horse, 94/- per week; 2 horses, 96/- per week; with 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—104/- per week.

Pottery Carters—1 horse, 93/- per week; 2 horses, 98/- per week; 3 horses, 104/- per week; 4 horses, 109/- per week; with 5/- per week extra per man for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—95/- to 111/- per week.

Wholesale Butchers—1 horse, 102/- per week; 2 horses, 109/6 per week; with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—107/- to 114/6 per week.

Motor Waggon Drivers, Retail Stores, 95/6 per week up to 1 ton carrying capacity, 5/- per ton for each additional ton up to 3 tons, and 4/- per ton for each ton over 3 tons. Casual Drivers, 2/5½ per hour and 1/3 per day extra for each ton or part thereof over 1 ton.

Motor Bus Drivers—112/6 per week. Conductors—Males, 70/5 to 90/-, according to age.

Motor Drivers—Private hire drivers, 93/6 Taxi Cab drivers, 96/-.

Upholsterers, males, 98/6 and 108/6 per week; females, 54/6 per week.

Warehouse Employees (other than Softgoods and Drug Warehouses)—Males, 88/6 to 98/6; females, 49/- to 62/, according to age. Drug Warehouse—Males, 98/6 to 108/6; females, 59/3. Softgoods Warehouses—Males, 87/- to 100/-; females, 47/- to 60/-.

*Wharf Labourers—2/9½ per hour.

*Wheelwrights, 113/- per week.

Coal Mines.—*Northern District.*

Miners, 2/2 to 6/1 per ton.
Deputies, 23/10 per day.
Shot-firers, 21/1 to 21/7 per day.
Waste-examiners, 21/7 to 21/8 per day.

Engine-drivers—
Loco. engines, 20/6 per day.
Winding, 20/6 to 22/6 per day.
Other engines, 18/1 to 20/6 per day.
Stokers and firemen, 17/6 to 18/1 per day.
Motor attendants or drivers, 17/7 per day.
Shiftmen, 17/6 to 21/7 per day.
Wheelers, 17/9 to 18/3 per day.
Flatters, 17/6 per day.
Water-bailers, 18/3 per day.
Set riders, 18/- per day.
Rolleyway men, 17/6 to 19/3 per day.
Roadlayers, 17/6 to 19/3 per day.
Waggon packers, 17/6 per day.
Banksmen, 18/8 per day.
Shunters, 17/6 per day.
Screenmen, 17/6 per day.
Onsetters, 17/6 to 18/8 per day.
Stablemen, 17/6 per day.
Labourers, 17/6 per day.
Boys and Youths, 6/- to 15/8 per day.

Note.—The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Commonwealth Government Orders, Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

*Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

Masters, £27 to £87/2/6.
Officers, chief, £21/8/- to £35/2/6; 2nd £19/8/- to £31/2/6; 3rd, £20/8/- to £26/12/6; junior, £19/8/-.
Trimmers, £15/15/-; Firemen, £17/15/-.
Engineers, chief, £30/17/6 to £65/2/6; 2nd £25 12/6 to £40/10/6; 3rd, £22/17/6 to £32/2/6; 4th, £19/18/- to £27/9/6; 5th, £19/8/-.
Able Seamen, £15/15/-.

Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

Masters, £27 to £47/2/6.
Officers, chief, £21/8/- to £28/2/6; 2nd £19/8/- to £27/2/6; others, £19/8/- to £21/8/-.
Engineers, £22/18/- to £33/2/6.
Firemen, £17/15/-.
Donkeymen, £18/15/-.
Able Seamen and Trimmers, £15/15/-.
Cooks, £12/16/- to £22/6/-.
Stewards, £13/17/6 to £20/17/6.

No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1930—*continued.*

Farm and Station Employees (with rations and lodging), per week.

†Station Employees—
- Cooks (station), male 56/8; female 38/1 to 56/8.
- Cooks (shearers'), 94/-.
- Shearers, no rations, flock sheep 32/6 per 100; others 40/8 to 65/- per 100 (plus 3/4 per week).
- Shed Hands, 83/6.
- Station Hands, 56/8.
- Useful Boys (age under 18 to 21), 20/9 to 27/6.

Station Blacksmiths, Farriers, Wheelwrights, Carpenters and Painters (not tradesmen), 56/8; Tradesmen—Award rates.

Farm Employees—
- Permanent Farm Hands, 25/- to 35/-.
- Harvest Hands, 12/6 per day.
- Driver of Reaper and Binder, Stripper and Harvester, 11/- to 12/6 per day.
- Stack Builder, 14/- to 17/6 per day.
- Team and Tractor Driver, 10/- to 12/- per day.
- Potato Digger, 12/- per day (without keep)
- Maize Picker, 12/- per day (without keep).
- Boys, 10/- to 20/- per week.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cook-General—
- Private house, 25/- to 40/-

Cooks (Females)—
- Boarding-house, 38/10 to 71/7*

General and Laundress, 41/10.*

House Maid, 36/4.*

General Servants, 12/6 to 30/-

Nursemaids, 10/- to 17/6.

Domestic help, 10/- to 15/-

Gardeners, 20/- to 40/-

* State Award. † Commonwealth Awards.

Living Wage for Adult Employees.*

Date of Declaration.	Male.	Female.
Oct., 1920, for males; Dec., 1920, for females	85/- per week	43/- per week
8th Oct., 1921, for males; 22nd Dec., 1921, for females	82/- per week	41/- per week
12th May, 1922, and 29th Sept., 1922, for males	78/- per week	
9th Oct., 1922, for females		39/6 per week
10th April, 1923, for males and females	79/- per week	40/- per week
7th September, 1923, and 7th March, 1924, for males and females	82/- per week	41/6 per week
24th August, 1925, for males and females	84/- per week	42/6 per week
15th Dec. 1926, for males	84/- per week	
27th June, 1927, for males and females	85/- per week	46/- per week
20th December, 1929, for males and females	82/6 per week	44/6 per week

* Declarations of the basic wage for men prior to 1927 were fixed on the basis of a man, wife and two children; that of June, 1927, was for man and wife only; and that of December, 1929, was for man, wife and one child.

No. 48.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annually.

Year.	Returns of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board—Buildings erected and assessed.		Municipal Returns—Buildings for which permission to build was granted.			
	No.	Cost of Buildings including additions to old Buildings.	No.	Estimated cost of New Buildings.	Estimated cost of Alterations and Additions.	Estimated total cost of New Buildings and Alterations and Additions.
	No.	£	No.	£	£	£
1919	4,892	4,314,000	7,116	6,462,000	941,000	7,403,000
1920	8,428	8,398,000	8,667	8,819,000	1,031,000	9,850,000
1921	6,964	8,626,000	5,567	6,405,000	1,220,000	7,625,000
1922	7,277	8,755,000	8,584	8,259,000	1,141,000	9,400,000
1923	8,516	8,976,000	11,011	9,845,000	1,107,000	10,952,000
1924	9,770	12,585,886	10,019	8,742,000	1,250,000	9,992,000
1925	8,658	10,157,045	10,802	9,088,000	1,158,000	10,246,000
1926	8,534	11,409,396	10,673	10,510,000	1,750,000	12,260,000
1927	8,366	12,346,186	9,038	11,278,000	1,914,000	13,192,000
1928	9,135	14,216,074	8,828	10,802,000	1,867,000	12,669,000
1929*	8,641	15,338,308	†8,285	†13,461,000	†2,282,000	†15,743,000
1930*	4,922	8,481,517	†2,360	†4,949,000	†972,000	†5,921,000

* Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta. † Since 1929, for the City of Sydney the number and value of buildings assessed by the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board have been used. The totals are not comparable with those of previous years.

No. 49.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

Month.	1928.			1929.			1930.		
	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.		City of Sydney.	Suburbs.		City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	
	Permits.*	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.*	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.*	Permits.	Estimated Value.
			£			£			£
January	11	747	1,025,819	5	742	743,765	8	381	436,299
February	10	709	800,139	7	715	817,277	9	303	303,520
March	13	753	802,589	7	780	952,711	4	248	293,240
April	9	616	671,938	5	689	713,296	7	213	245,560
May	14	780	874,805	12	736	894,358	4	191	223,167
June	12	715	772,093	6	671	772,378	3	146	132,089
July	14	816	919,652	10	875	897,478	1	151	196,299
August	7	874	972,063	2	752	838,037	1	127	172,146
September	8	740	783,643	8	651	689,913	2	150	137,178
October	10	728	792,449	5	635	697,673	...	81	88,276
November	8	714	841,445	9	546	639,098	7	69	71,746
December	7	513	511,820	2	342	414,022	...	69	56,533
Total (twelve months)	123	8,705	9,768,455	78	8,134	9,070,006	46	2,129	2,356,053

* New Buildings, City of Sydney—The values are not available.

NOTE.—Since January, 1927, garages built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions.

No. 50.—Metropolis—Population and New Buildings.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings, and of Alterations and Additions, in each Municipality, during the Twelve Months ended 31st December, 1929 and 1930.

Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st December, 1929.	New Buildings during January to December.				Alterations and Additions during January to December.			
		1929.		1930.		1929.		1930.	
		Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
			£		£		£		£
City of Sydney ...	109,000	78	*	46	*	983	*	943	*
Suburbs :									
North-western—									
Annandale ...	13,090	14	13,850	1	10,500	47	9,186	32	7,437
Balmain ...	33,090	44	61,482	14	8,790	239	30,652	146	11,371
Glebe	23,100	14	50,800	8	7,898	60	11,847	57	15,180
Leichhardt ...	31,350	68	48,530	17	23,300	185	36,386	122	11,492
West-central—									
Erskineville ...	7,610	3	1,900	1	700	12	830	3	1,410
Newtown ...	28,600	21	33,784	13	8,100	182	24,152	131	8,998
St. Peters ...	13,870	31	27,750	3	3,200	23	8,359	15	1,710
East-central—									
Alexandria ...	10,320	48	111,710	10	19,450	71	37,940	54	45,810
Botany ...	7,770	143	99,876	44	36,085	76	13,285	47	2,261
Darlington ...	3,660	2	4,150	1	1,551	11	16,724	8	3,220
Mascot ...	13,620	181	155,404	47	42,427	117	10,974	88	4,808
Redfern ...	24,140	4	6,300	6	26,989	41	10,318	50	12,089
Waterloo ...	12,770	96	176,920	14	9,510	116	125,007	69	12,616
Eastern—									
Paddington ...	27,010	42	81,001	7	18,256	72	14,462	93	18,104
Randwick ...	73,200	511	804,906	156	202,656	533	90,786	378	41,353
Vaucluse ...	7,190	78	221,860	19	34,452	108	32,743	79	9,543
Waverley ...	52,030	196	354,143	38	62,688	406	96,592	189	25,018
Woollahra ...	34,060	149	580,041	36	151,804	328	119,274	194	51,169
Western—									
Ashfield ...	39,580	128	134,440	45	86,035	474	40,870	311	21,301
Auburn ...	19,690	158	127,994	28	19,697	227	26,596	211	9,069
Burwood ...	19,340	105	109,630	27	23,921	223	20,314	170	16,754
Concord ...	22,160	232	217,796	34	39,924	455	29,004	193	14,756
Drummoyne ...	28,950	287	291,364	56	54,806	356	46,021	263	23,405
Enfield ...	13,880	101	81,543	27	38,265	192	9,715	102	5,365
Granville ...	18,970	209	125,729	70	50,886	169	138,590	148	10,683
Homebush ...	3,160	36	27,788	1	1,500	58	2,053	43	3,386
Lidcombe ...	15,490	191	133,309	31	21,551	128	7,772	92	4,199
Marrickville ...	46,400	82	96,780	40	28,755	182	52,379	133	24,277
Parramatta ...	17,480	114	116,910	39	38,035	101	20,030	79	7,977
Petersham ...	28,090	104	117,622	19	19,725	177	43,102	90	8,070
Strathfield ...	12,020	114	125,298	29	44,852	178	16,474	120	6,499
Southern—									
Bankstown ...	21,630	434	297,305	137	86,002	203	15,772	193	9,079
Bexley ...	20,120	195	149,821	29	21,671	260	17,714	163	9,057
Canterbury ...	72,300	1,085	892,660	236	196,599	866	56,252	551	26,171
Hurstville ...	21,110	326	252,193	87	68,491	261	39,054	175	12,436
Kogarah ...	28,880	433	334,591	122	98,503	466	30,351	270	13,735
Rockdale ...	36,990	483	396,755	90	81,597	376	27,152	285	22,064
Northern—									
Eastwood ...	2,920	34	26,845	9	4,850	51	3,986	31	5,862
Hunter's Hill	9,590	81	74,436	21	22,725	93	12,872	77	10,808
Kuring-gai ...	27,460	387	629,743	132	186,321	599	100,104	294	39,875
Lane Cove ...	14,660	131	154,656	47	43,630	201	26,744	113	7,286
Manly ...	25,860	115	222,346	53	77,815	220	23,795	192	23,010
Mosman ...	24,770	96	205,975	27	58,905	220	57,751	114	18,180
North Sydney	54,750	115	253,897	41	61,156	417	113,151	233	29,992
Ryde	25,160	464	393,995	123	112,768	279	19,615	218	9,951
Willoughby ...	41,770	249	244,178	94	98,712	453	41,300	293	22,454
Total (Suburbs)	1,129,660	8,134	9,070,006	2,129	2,356,053	10,512	1,728,050	6,912	699,290
Total (City of Sydney) ...	109,000	78	*	46	*	983	*	943	*
Grand Total ...	1,238,660	8,212	9,070,006	2,175	2,356,053	11,495	1,728,050	7,855	699,290

* Information not available.

Note.—For return of buildings erected during previous years see Table No. 48.

Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Country Municipalities prior to 1st January, 1929.

No. 51.—Country Municipalities—Population at 31st December, 1929, and New Buildings during Twelve months, January to December, 1930.

Municipality	Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1929.	New Buildings, Jan. to December, 1930. Permits.	Estimated Value.
Balance of Cumberland—			
Cabramatta and Canley Vale.	4,650	84	20,053
Campbelltown...	2,730	8	3,260
Castlereagh ...	350	2	650
Dundas ...	5,500	39	34,343
Ermington and Rydalmere.	2,160	7	4,100
Fairfield ...	7,570	49	19,828
Holroyd ...	14,420	85	48,063
Ingleburn ...	1,670	16	6,500
Liverpool ...	6,140	21	10,480
Penrith ...	4,010	19	10,130
Richmond ...	2,060	13	7,050
St. Mary's ...	2,090	15	3,813
Windsor ...	3,310	16	8,079
North Coast—			
Ballina ...	3,050	7	3,440
Casino	3,260	41	23,991
Coraki	1,260	...	...
Grafton ...	5,110	27	17,317
Grafton, South	1,700	10	4,720
Kempsey ...	3,630	30	19,544
Lismore ...	10,050	60	113,031
Maclean ...	1,610	5	1,430
Mullumbimby ...	1,300	1	650
Murwillumbah	2,940	9	21,594
Ulmarra ...	2,210	2	1,000
Hunter and Manning—			
Newcastle City	14,540	15	10,409
Adamstown ...	4,800	8	5,600
Carrington ...	3,140	2	930
Hamilton ...	20,530	76	64,105
Lambton ...	4,550	5	2,885
Lambton, New	6,090	22	16,191
Merewether ...	8,200	19	11,230
Stockton ...	5,630	8	4,681
Wallsend ...	7,390	17	10,649
Waratah ...	17,780	40	28,232
Wickham ...	11,990	17	21,392
Total, Newcastle and Suburbs.	104,640	229	176,304
Aberdeen ...	890	4	1,850
Cessnock ...	14,120	5	1,130
Dungog ...	1,720	6	6,418
Greta	1,520	1	20
Maitland, East...	4,020	13	8,625
Maitland, West..	7,770	3	1,200
Morpeth ...	1,080	1	520
Muswellbrook ...	2,660	21	12,096
Port Macquarie..	1,740	6	2,760
Raymond Terrace.	870	6	3,400
Scone	1,920	14	6,392
Singleton ...	3,400	21	11,523
Taree	2,310	9	5,375
Wingham ...	1,170	11	4,893
South Coast—			
Bega	1,950	11	5,425
Berry	2,510	8	2,680
Bowral ...	3,140	15	15,741
Braidwood ...	1,050	2	400
Broughton Vale	240	1	350
Camden ...	2,200	9	14,665
Gerringong ...	700	7	2,471
Illawarra, Central	7,190	51	25,821
Illawarra, North	6,760	21	11,774
Jamberoo ...	1,080	2	1,130
Kiama	2,080	3	1,420
Mittagong ...	1,640	11	7,258
Moss Vale ...	2,080	14	9,570
Nowra	2,620	13	9,185
Picton	1,020	1	255
Shellharbour ...	1,690	22	6,050
Shoalhaven S'th	1,030	1	500
Ulladulla ...	1,400	17	4,170
Wollongong ...	10,230	72	72,908
Northern Tableland—			
Armidale ...	7,270	28	23,650
Glen Innes ...	4,680	25	17,241
Inverell ...	5,350	30	19,350
Tenterfield ...	2,580	6	3,930
Uralla	940	7	2,832
Walcha ...	1,340	11	5,005†
Central Tableland—			
Bathurst ...	9,510	18	14,148
Blackheath ...	2,630	14	4,775
Blayney ...	1,510	4	1,270
Carcoar ...	430	...	...
Cowra	4,450	23	27,537
Gulgong ...	1,460	7	3,862
Katoomba ...	10,100	26	29,528
Lithgow ...	15,320	14	8,499
Mudgee ...	3,070	10	5,357
Orange ...	8,610	28	27,149
Wellington ...	3,370	12	9,543
Southern Tableland—			
Bombala ...	990	4	3,200
Cooma	1,890	5	4,960
Goulburn ...	12,740	23	16,245
Queanbeyan ...	4,030	6	6,680
Yass	2,710	12	6,009
North-Western Slope—			
Barraba ...	1,240	5	3,390
Bingara ...	1,020	*	*
Gunnedah ...	2,680	20	14,020
Manilla... ...	1,480	9	5,100
Murrurundi ...	1,330	3	2,643
Quirindi ...	2,360	8	4,121
Tamworth ...	7,890	63	52,863
Central Western Slope—			
Dubbo	5,920	25	20,420
Forbes	4,970	11	8,610
Molong ...	1,520	6	2,250
Narromine ...	1,200	2	340†
Parkes	5,830	15	11,720
Peak Hill ...	1,180	3	3,400
South-Western Slope—			
Albury	9,580	38	30,799
Burrowa ...	1,220	7	6,111
Cootamundra ...	4,190	6	4,995
Grenfell ...	2,140	5	3,935
Junee	3,090	4	3,400
Murrumburrah	3,000	...	...
Temora ...	3,240	7	7,570
Wagga Wagga	9,030	26	22,024
Wallendbeen ...	750	1	500
Wyalong ...	870	...	...
Young	3,620	7	7,332
North Central Plain—			
Moree	3,690	20	13,742
Narrabri ...	2,830	14	5,926
Narrabri, West	990	4	1,830
Central Plain—			
Condobolin ...	1,930	13	7,065
Coonamble ...	2,370	14	15,339
Nyngan ...	1,410	2	1,350†
Warren ...	1,300	5	11,600
Riverina—			
Corowa... ...	2,660	6	3,875
Deniliquin ...	2,980	10	8,573
Hay	2,630	7	5,645
Hillston ...	840	9	3,900
Moama ...	630	4	533
Narrandera ...	3,550	16	16,266
Western Division—			
Balranald ...	1,040	4	4,100
Bourke ...	1,700	2	3,100
Brewarrina ...	670	4	5,850
Broken Hill ...	23,480	28	111,082
Cobar	1,050	1	1,859
Wentworth ...	890	*	*
Wilcannia ...	450	1	500
Total, Country Municipalities.	534,640	1,945	1,495,793

* Information not supplied. † January to September.

Country Municipalities—New Buildings during 1921-30.

Year.	New Buildings. Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£
1921	3,131	1,979,109
1922	4,629	2,678,393
1923	6,026	3,759,126
1924	6,008	3,747,801
1925	7,338	4,312,921
1926	7,818	4,438,697
1927	6,463	4,647,941
1928	5,801	4,391,344
1929	4,375	3,775,862
1930	1,945	1,495,793

Note.—Exclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Metropolis from 1st January, 1929.

No. 52.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1929.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1929.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1929.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1929.
Abercrombie	3,350	Harwood	5,000	Terania	6,570
Amaroo	3,190	Hastings	7,720	Timbrebongie	4,120
Apsley	2,740	Holbrook	2,170	Tintenbar	5,790
Ashford	2,340	Hornsby	20,610	Tomki	3,870
Bannockburn	3,210	Hume	4,660	Tumbarumba	2,240
Barraba	2,140	Illabo	2,800	Tumut	8,260
Baulkham Hills ...	6,160	Imlay	4,510	Turon	2,990
Bellingen	5,230	Jemalong	3,370	Tweed	10,390
Berrigan	4,410	Jerilderie	1,550	Upper Hunter	4,540
Bibbenluke	2,820	Jindalee	2,010	Urana	2,700
Blacktown	11,010	Kearsley	24,140	Wade	5,950
Bland	8,520	Kyeamba	4,190	Wakool	3,360
Blaxland	8,040	Kyogle	9,200	Walgett	3,090
Blue Mountains ...	7,620	Lachlan	5,240	Wallarobba	5,280
Bogan	2,020	Lake Macquarie ...	25,640	Waradgery	790
Bolwarra	3,380	Liverpool Plains ...	5,140	Warrah	1,980
Boolooroo	3,040	Lockhart	5,930	Warringah	15,240
Boomi	3,040	Lyndhurst	5,230	Waugoola	5,760
Boree	6,420	Macintyre	1,990	Weddin	3,340
Bulli	12,030	Macleay	7,360	Willimbong	7,150
Burrangong	5,230	Macquarie	3,630	Windouran	850
Byron	6,990	Mandowa	2,460	Wingadee	3,280
Cambewarra	1,340	Manning	13,410	Wingecarribee	4,340
Canobolas	5,820	Marthaguy	1,850	Wollondilly	5,080
Carrathool	3,450	Merriwa	2,490	Woodburn	2,800
Clyde	1,590	Mitchell	4,380	Woy Woy	2,980
Cobbora	5,380	Monaro	2,690	Wyaldra	2,070
Cockburn	3,810	Mulwaree	7,810	Yallaroi	3,000
Colo	5,070	Mumbulla	4,080	Yanko	5,000
Conargo	1,050	Murray	2,490	Yarrowlumla	2,330
Coolah	1,760	Murrumbidgee	650		
Coolamon	7,200	Murrungal	2,240	Total, Shires ...	691,090
Coonabarabran ...	5,960	Muswellbrook	3,300	Summary	
Copmanhurst	3,130	Nambucca	6,620	Shires	691,090
Coreen	3,190	Namoi	6,550	Municipalities ...	1,773,300
Crookwell	5,880	Narrabarra	4,690		
Cudgegong	4,790	Nattai	3,980		
Culcairn	5,260	Nepean	2,620	Western Division—Unincorporated Area	14,645
Dalgety	3,500	Nundle	1,110	Lord Howe Island ...	112
Demondrille	3,170	Nymboida	2,170		
Dorrigo	8,310	Oberon	2,560		
Dumaresq	4,540	Orara	1,580	Total, State of New South Wales.	2,479,147
Erina	16,030	Patrick Plains	6,120		
Eurobodalla	4,650	Peel	6,840		
Gilgandra	4,900	Port Stephens	3,950		
Gloucester	3,660	Rylstone	4,570		
Goobang	5,770	Severn	5,480		
Goodradigbee	3,010	Stroud	5,200		
Gostwyck	4,120	Sutherland	12,670		
Gundagai	4,920	Talbragar	3,490		
Gundurimba	3,980	Tallaganda	2,160		
Gunning...	3,360	Tamarang	2,700		
Guyra	6,840	Tarro	6,810		
Gwydir	1,050	Tenterfield	4,720		

No. 53.—New South Wales Estimated Wheat Harvest, 1930-31.

A preliminary estimate of the wheat harvest of the season 1930–31, based upon returns received from the wheat growers of the State, was published on the 6th February, 1931.

The harvest is estimated at 22,727,000 bags, equivalent (on a basis of 3 bushels per bag) to 68,181,000 bushels of grain—the highest harvest on record.

The total area sown with wheat was 30,000 acres in excess of the estimate made in July last, being 5,648,000 acres. Of this area, 5,007,800 acres were harvested for grain and 513,800 acres for hay; 117,400 acres failed, and 9,000 acres were fed-off profitably.

The average yield of grain per acre (including areas which failed entirely) was 13·3 bushels, being approximately 1 bushel per acre above the average of the preceding ten years.

During May and early June there were widespread rains, and in July mild temperatures, and a number of general rainstorms, which improved the outlook. The wheat crops were greatly benefited by the August rains, which in the wheat belt were from 12 to 43 per cent. above the average. In December the rainfall was above the average, and the heavy and persistent rain caused considerable damage, reducing the expected harvest considerably in some places.

The number of growers in the current season was 17,708, or 1,975 more than in last season.

The area harvested for grain, the yield, and the average yield per acre since 1920–21 were as follows :—

Season.	Area Harvested for Grain.	Production of Wheat.	Average Yield per acre.	Season.	Area Harvested for Grain.	Production of Wheat.	Average Yield per acre.
	acres.	bushels.	bushels.		acres.	bushels.	bushels.
1920–21	3,127,000	55,625,000	17·8	1926–27	3,353,000	47,541,000	14·2
1921–22	3,195,000	42,767,000	13·4	1927–28	3,030,000	27,042,000	8·9
1922–23	2,943,000	28,668,000	9·7	1928–29	4,090,000	49,257,000	12·1
1923–24	2,945,000	33,176,000	11·3	1929–30	3,902,200	33,948,000	8·7
1924–25	3,550,000	59,767,000	16·8	1930–31	5,121,400	68,181,000	13·3
1925–26	2,925,000	33,806,000	11·6				

Estimated Wheat Harvest, 1930-31.

Division.	Area of Wheat.						Estimated Production.			
	Harvested for—		Failed entirely for—		* Fed-off Profitably.	Total.	Grain.		Hay.	
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Hay.			Total.	Per Acre grown for Grain	Total.	Per Acre grown for Hay.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons...	Tons.
Coastal	800	900	100	...	200	2,000	12,000	13·3	1,200	1·33
Tableland—										
Northern	10,500	2,100	1,400	...	300	14,300	159,900	13·4	2,500	1·19
Central	224,800	38,800	1,200	100	400	265,300	4,005,900	17·7	59,600	1·53
Southern	3,500	700	...	...	...	4,200	70,200	20·0	900	1·28
Totals ...	238,800	41,600	2,600	100	700	283,800	4,236,000	17·5	63,000	1·51
Western Slopes—										
North	390,800	25,000	13,600	300	3,900	433,600	6,171,000	15·2	33,600	1·33
Central	1,150,000	104,700	21,600	1,000	1,100	1,278,400	17,103,000	14·6	159,200	1·50
South	1,193,700	131,300	15,600	700	1,400	1,342,700	17,895,000	14·8	179,600	1·36
Total ...	2,734,500	261,000	50,800	2,000	6,400	3,054,700	41,169,000	14·8	372,400	1·41
Central Plains and Riverina—										
North Central Plain	154,200	12,100	6,100	100	300	172,800	2,349,000	14·6	15,800	1·29
Central Plain ...	337,600	37,800	7,600	...	400	383,400	3,522,000	10·2	41,200	1·09
Riverina	1,528,600	157,900	45,500	1,500	1,000	1,734,500	16,794,000	10·7	173,500	1·09
Total ...	2,020,400	207,800	59,200	1,600	1,700	2,290,700	22,665,000	10·9	230,500	1·10
Western	13,300	2,500	900	100	...	16,800	99,000	7·0	2,200	0·84
Total, New South Wales	**5,007,800**	**513,800**	**113,600**	**3,800**	**9,000**	**5,648,000**	**68,181,000**	**13·3**	**669,300**	**1·29**

*All areas of wheat "Fed-off," with a feed value of less than 15s. per acre have been included in the columns "Failed entirely."

Estimated Wheat Surplus.

The stocks of old season's wheat and flour held in New South Wales at the end of November, 1930, were (in equivalent wheat) 6,252,000 bushels.

If the estimated production during 1930–31 of 68,181,000 bushels be added to this, there is available 74,433,000 bushels.

Estimating the maximum requirements for local consumption, including seed wheat, at approximately 17,500,000 bushels, there should be a surplus of over 56 million bushels available as compared with 24 million bushels for the previous season.

No. 54.—Agricultural Statistics, Year ended 30th June, 1929.

Name of Crop.	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Average Yield previous 5 years.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Grain—				
Wheat	4,090,083	49,257,000	12·0	12·7
Maize	106,835	2,506,470	23·4	27·6
Barley (malting)	2,612	41,880	16·0	15·8
„ Other (feed)	2,412	39,030	16·2	16·2
Oats	126,743	2,183,880	17·2	17·4
Rye	3,005	53,700	17·9	16·3
Rice	14,027	1,307,520	93·2	75·3
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Hay—				
Wheaten	375,270	390,255	1·04	1·09
Barley	817	812	0·99	1·23
Oaten	214,137	242,740	1·13	1·26
Rye	231	290	1·25	1·25
Lucerne	94,275	159,158	1·69	2·00
Green Fodder (Fed-off)	264,699	Value £811,929	...	...
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Root Crops—				
Potatoes	14,830	26,339	1·78	2·35
Sweet Potatoes	689	3,222	4·68	4·80
Onions	131	432	3·30	4·26
Turnips	775	1,589	2·05	2·60
Mangold-wurzels	22	33	1·50	10·02
Other	174	491	2·82	4·86
Miscellaneous crops—				
Broom Millet	2,018	8,100 bush. of seed.	4·0 bush	5·4 bush.
		6,623 cwts. of fibre.	3·3 cwt.	5·1 cwt.
Tobacco	762	5,194 cwts. of dried leaf.	6·8 cwt.	7·3 cwt.
Sugar-cane—				
Crushed	6,783	147,414 tons.	21·7 tons.	26·2 tons.
Stand-over, etc.	9,098	...	...	...
Grapes—				
Wine Varieties	7,077	12,544 tons.	...	...
Table Varieties	2,644	4,278 tons.	...	...
Drying Varieties	3,357	69,842 cwts.	...	...
Wine made	...	1,481,846 gals.	...	...
Young Vines—For Wine	1,000	...	...	...
Other	1,122	...	...	...
Orchards—				
Productive	58,259	4,928,264 bush.	84·6 bush.	87·5 bush.
Young Trees	15,118	...	...	...
Bananas—Productive	1,060	81,455 cases	77 cases.	58 cases.
Young Stools	852	...	...	...
Pineapples—Productive	71	8,655 doz.	122 doz.	154 doz.
Young Plants	25	...	...	...
Market Gardens	7,709	Value £689,438	Value £89 9s.	Val. £76 15s.
Tomatoes	1,896	273,118 ½-cases	144 ½-cases.	182 ½-cases.
Pumpkins and Melons	2,345	5,791 tons	2·47 tons.	3·68 tons.
Nurseries	596	Value £140,404	Val. £235 12s.	Val. £246 7s.
Other crops	9,423	...	...	...
Total	5,442,982	...	...	...

NOTE.—Land under crops which failed is reckoned in the average.

No. 55.—Live Stock in New South Wales at 30th June, 1924, 1928, and 1929.

Classification.	1924.	1928.	1929.
Horses—			
One year old and upwards	634,065	575,455	547,380
Foals under 1 year	24,307	22,922	19,991
Total, Horses	658,372	598,377	567,371
Cattle—			
Cows—In Registered dairies.			
In Milk	418,505	465,773	482,568
Dry	282,014	290,914	293,754
Heifers	...	...	...
Within three months of calving	71,515	53,022	49,655
Other—over one year	92,421	108,397	115,413
Other cows in milk	84,680	84,731	81,797
All other cattle	1,615,995	1,424,163	1,305,899
Calves—under 1 year	373,392	421,654	455,529
Total, Cattle	2,938,522	2,848,654	2,784,615
Sheep—			
Rams	499,267	674,660	622,363
Ewes	19,631,511	26,262,050	25,075,918
Wethers	10,014,503	15,199,970	13,831,815
Lambs	7,394,132	8,373,320	10,654,854
Total, Sheep	37,539,413	50,510,000	50,184,950
Pigs—			
One year old and upwards	77,777	80,102	83,289
Under 1 year	245,419	221,717	228,316
Total, Pigs	323,196	301,819	311,605
Goats—Angora	3,088	2,250	2,035
Other	28,995	18,213	15,302
Total, Goats	32,083	20,463	17,337
Other live stock—			
Camels	798	470	492
Mules	146	70	67
Donkeys	287	101	105
Ostriches	36	39	14

No. 56.—Estimates as to Sheep and Wool, 1930-31.

The totals for the present year compare with the totals of previous years as follow :—

Year ended 30th June.	Number of sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs.	Weight of Wool produced.		
			Shorn, Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on skins.	Total.
	Thousand.	lb.	Thousand lb.	Thousand lb. Greasy.	Thousand lb.
1924	38,371	7·1	273,687	29,345	303,032
1925	41,320	8·2	341,711	27,407	369,118
1926	45,550	8·1	369,500	32,990	402,490
1927	51,880	8·8	457,552	41,770	499,322
1928	53,730	7·5	406,080	37,780	443,860
1929	50,300	8·8	446,090	36,830	482,920
1930	53,260	7·8	417,730	42,240	459,970
1931*	48,840	7·8	385,000	45,000	430,000

* Preliminary, subject to revision.

The value at Sydney of the total production of wool (exclusive of the value of wool derived from or exported on skins) was approximately £15,230,000 in 1930–31 as compared with £20,123,000 in 1929–30, £33,206,000 in 1928–29, £36,064,000 in 1927–28, £35,629,000 in 1926-27, and £28,216,000 in 1925–26.

The number of sheep in the State has fluctuated as follows in recent years :—

Year.	Number of Sheep and Lambs as at—		Year.	Number of Sheep and Lambs as at—	
	30th June.	31st December.		30th June.	31st December.
1924	41,440,000	*	1928	50,510,000**	50,515,000**
1925	47,100,000	*	1929	50,185,000**	50,740,000**
1926	53,860,000	54,630,000	1930	48,720,000**	49,870,000**
1927	55,930,000	48,920,000			

* Not available. ** Excluding Federal Capital Territory.

Returns show the following totals for the years 1929 and 1930 :—

	1929.	1930.
Lambs marked	12,560,000	10,950,000
Sheep and Lambs slaughtered	5,380,000	6,350,000
„ exported (net)	2,410,000	720,000
„ deaths	4,540,000	4,750,000

No. 57.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1929.

	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1929.
Area, 309,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).							
Population.							
31st December ... 1,000 persons	518	782	1,162	1,376	1,702	2,130	2,479
Births ... ... No.	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	54,634	52,672
,, ... rate	39·04	37·90	34·55	27·71	28·61	25·91	21·37
Deaths ... ... No.	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	20,034	24,615
,, ... rate	12·61	15·08	14·26	11·72	10·32	9·50	9·99
Marriages ... ... No.	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	18,518	19,535
,, ... rate	7·78	8·21	7·41	7·71	9·17	8·78	7·93
‡Land Settlement.							
Alienated holdings—							
31 acres and under 1,000 No.	*	29,393	33,668	42,614	49,251	50,166	*
acres	*	6,520,387	8,422,014	10,332,903	12,878,652	15,315,331	*
1,000 to 10,000 acres ... No.	*	2,713	4,382	5,043	7,133	10,551	*
acres	*	7,164,339	11,780,408	13,144,788	17,752,347	26,133,856	*
Over 10,000 acres ... No.	*	415	656	703	705	788	*
acres	*	14,100,350	20,843,827	22,392,051	21,312,847	19,554,281	*
‡Agriculture.							
Total area under crop ... 1,000 acres	393	584	846	2,277	3,382	4,464	5,441
Wheat—Area ... ... 1,000 acres	154	222	357	1,392	2,129	3,127	4,090
Yield ... ... 1,000 bshl.	2,230	3,406	3,964	14,809	27,914	55,625	49,257
Average ... ... bshl.	14·5	15·4	11·1	10·6	13·1	17·8	12·0
Maize—Area ... ... 1,000 acres	120	117	175	167	213	144	107
Yield ... ... 1,000 bshl.	4,016	4,331	5,722	3,845	7,594	4,176	2,506
Average ... ... bshl.	33·5	36·9	32·8	22·9	35·6	29·0	23·5
Hay—Area ... ... 1,000 acres	52	147	164	442	639	854	685
Yield ... ... 1,000 tons	77	199	209	473	843	1,375	793
Average ... ... tons	1·50	1·36	1·28	1·07	1·32	1·61	1·16
Value of all Agricultural production £000	2,220	4,216	3,615	7,060	9,749	32,373	19,923
Value per acre of all crops £	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/16/2	7/5/0	3/13/3
‡Pastoral, Dairying, etc.							
Sheep ... ... No. (1,000)	16,279	36,592	61,831	41,857	48,830	37,750	50,185
Cattle ... ... No. (1,000)	2,015	2,597	2,129	2,047	3,194	3,375	2,785
Horses ... ... No. (1,000)	304	399	470	487	689	663	567
Pigs ... ... No. (1,000)	213	214	253	266	371	306	312
Wool (as in the grease) ... 1,000 lb.	74,401	161,676	375,600	310,075	404,655	275,269	482,920
Value at Sydney ... £000	4,760	7,187	11,059	9,072	13,264	13,763	31,100
Butter ... ... 1,000 lb.	*	*	18,363	39,057	83,205	84,268	96,244
Cheese ... ... 1,000 lb.	*	*	5,506	3,839	5,461	6,407	6,339
Bacon and Ham ... ... 1,000 lb.	*	*	6,010	11,081	16,103	16,257	23,087
Value of Pastoral, Dairying and Farmyard Production £000	8,719	13,151	17,460	15,635	27,120	36,783	58,550
Minerals Won.							
Gold ... ... 1,000 oz. fine	294	135	132	174	181	51	7
£000	1,250	574	559	737	769	217	32
Silver ... ... 1,000 oz.	...	...	730	448	1,767	1,963	4
£	...	...	134,850	50,484	177,095	325,163	392
Silver-Lead, ore, etc. ... ton	...	...	147,780	417,078	338,469	53,507	285,031
£000	...	...	3,485	1,804	2,266	539	3,032
Copper—Ingots and ore, etc. ton	*	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	499	176
£	11,828	267,884	119,195	412,292	590,102	41,267	14,183
Tin—Ingots and ore ... ton	...	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	1,595	934
	...	568,795	133,963	76,544	307,089	163,451	191,199
Zinc—Spelter Concentrates ... ... £							
ton	...	...	219	632	516,378	79,694	231,237
£	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,414,980	283,455	802,693
Coal ... ... 1,000 ton	899	1,770	4,038	5,968	8,692	10,793	7,618
£000	316	603	1,743	2,179	3,167	9,078	5,953
Value of Minerals Won (exclusive of coke, lime, and Portland cement)... £000	1,626	2,138	6,399	5,575	9,225	12,066	11,924
Value of Minerals at the place of production ... £000	*	*	*	*	7,392	10,192	8,833
‡Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.							
Value of Production ... £000	324	492	758	986	2,213	4,089	5,144
Primary Industries.							
Value of Production ... £000	12,889	19,997	28,232	29,256	46,474	83,437	92,450
‡Factories.							
Establishments ... ... No.	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,837	8,465
Persons employed ... ... males	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,083	112,187	139,104
,, ,, ... females	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	32,824	46,038
Salaries and Wages paid... £000	*	*	4,273	4,952	10,048	25,619	38,545
Value of Plant and Machinery £000	*	*	4,386	5,861	12,511	31,115	51,366
Value of Output £000	*	*	16,807	25,648	54,346	137,841	185,299
‡Manufacturing Industry.							
Value of Production ... £000	2,490	5,183	7,799	10,011	19,432	43,128	73,627
,, ,, per head £	4/18/–	6/15/6	6/16/7	7/6/6	11/13/5	20/12/8	29/17/6
Production all recorded Industries £000	15,379	25,180	36,066	39,373	65,906	126,565	166,077
,, ,, ,, per head £	30/5/3	32/18/3	31/11/7	28/15/10	39/11/6	60/10/11	67/17/0
‡Shipping.							
Inwards, Vessels ... ... No.	1,891	2,254	2,602	2,760	3,127	3,019	2,866
,, ,, ... net tons (1,000)	706	1,456	2,752	4,133	6,822	7,123	8,511
Outwards, Vessels ... No.	2,123	2,103	2,654	2,853	3,146	3,023	2,792
,, ,, ... net tons (1,000)	794	1,330	2,801	4,274	6,834	7,122	8,308

* Information not available. ‡Year ended 30th June.

No. 57.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1929—*continued.*

		1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1929.
‡Trade.								
Imports, Oversea ...	£000	5,482	11,829	15,128	17,560	27,343	72,466	63,312
,, ,, per head	£	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	25/17/4
Exports, Oversea ...	£000	5,453	9,754	14,621	18,211	32,161	52,602	49,362
,, ,, per head	£	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	20/3/4
Interstate Transfers—								
Inwards	£000	4,453	5,758	10,256	9,368	*	*	*
Outwards	£000	5,808	6,554	11,323	9,140	*	*	*
‡Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note).								
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops)	1,000 lb.	38,323	81,907	235,471	217,286	297,829	180,782	359,752
	£000	2,293	4,108	7,670	7,420	11,980	12,822	27,378
Wheat and Flour** ...	1,000 bus.	8	22	55	5,205	14,325	24,727	28,135
	£000	2	5	12	681	2,519	11,191	6,610
Butter‡	1,000 lb.	115	402	402	8,700	33,044	28,429	15,880
	£000	27	12	18	379	1,519	3,458	1,192
Frozen Mutton and Lamb**	1,000 lb.	...	*	*	39,370	59,949	21,472	22,643
	£000	...	*	*	382	682	681	562
Other Meats**	£000	131	192	198	490	981	1,347	804
Tallow	£000	245	244	293	363	871	615	543
Leather	£000	84	130	131	347	324	524	321
Skins and Hides	£000	38	130	376	431	1,145	1,912	4,331
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold)	£000	249	1,214	1,392	1,893	4,073	7,088	2,906
Timber, undressed ...	£000	4	13	44	76	244	438	180
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note)	£000	4,059	8,153	11,215	13,268	27,491	48,303	49,289
‡Public Finance.								
Revenue proper	£000	2,216	6,551	9,773	10,612	13,882	34,031	§20,704
,, per head ...	£	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	§8/9/2
Expenditure proper ...	£000	2,667	626	10,216	9,992	14,471	34,477	§20,111
,, per head ...	£	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/9/10	§8/4/4
,, General Loan	£000	489	2,397	4,750	2,785	3,922	14,701	14,249
,, ,, per head	£	0/19/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	5/16/5
‡Public Debt.								
Total	£000	10,614	16,924	52,951	67,361	95,524	164,336	256,792
Per head	£	20/10/-	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	104/4/4
‡Trading Banks.								
Deposits	£000	7,044	20,308	35,660	33,258	55,327	107,676	134,324
Advances	£000	7,668	20,936	45,069	35,069	42,457	104,709	143,823
Assets	£000	11,592	27,870	53,596	43,438	61,907	132,434	173,829
Liabilities	£000	8,017	22,394	37,590	35,078	57,755	111,409	141,234
‡Savings Banks.								
Accounts	No.	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	1,126,157	1,685,181
Deposits	£000	946	2,699	5,342	11,809	25,361	57,394	85,558
Average per depositor ...	£	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	50/15/5
Average per inhabitant ...	£	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/8	34/14/6
‡State Railways.								
Line open	miles	358	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	5,940
Capital cost	£000	5,887	13,302	31,769	38,933	50,972	82,304	124,329
Passengers...	No. (1,000)	759	6,907	19,038	29,261	60,920	120,735	151,116
Net earnings	£000	158	706	1,143	1,456	2,351	3,235	4,638
Net return on capital invested	per cent.	2·68	5·30	3·59	3·78	4·67	4·01	3·82
‡State Tramways.								
Line open	miles	...	9⅛	43	79	190	227	211
Capital cost	£000	...	169	1,004	2,194	5,122	9,061	11,743
Passengers...	No. (1,000)	...	7,090	68,051	93,704	230,276	337,690	333,476
Net Earnings	£000	...	10	53	89	222	528	622
Net return on capital invested	per cent.	...	6·16	5·32	4·06	4·53	5·93	5·33
‡Postal.								
Offices	No.	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,609	2,698
Letters and Post Cards ...	No. (1,000)	7,509	26,534	68,987	82,783	189,656	262,026	*
,, ,,	per head	94·77	34·68	60·41	60·56	113·87	125·35	*
Newspapers	No. (1,000)	3,902	16,528	42,517	52,318	71,619	63,261	*
,, ...	per head	7·86	21·60	37·23	38·27	43·00	30·26	*
‡Telegraphs and Telephones.								
Telegraph Stations ...	No.	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,252	3,069
Telegrams and Cablegrams	No. (1,000)	219	1,607	4,046	3,449	5,864	8,586	7,139
Telephone Line Connections	No.	...	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	74,490	146,492
‡Money Orders.								
Issued in New South Wales	£000	293	772	1,578	1,637	2,819	5,830	7,925
Paid in New South Wales	£000	272	675	1,519	1,670	2,949	5,897	7,726
State Education.								
Public Schools	No.	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,216	3,153
Teachers	No.	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,594	12,400
Scholars on roll ...	No.	39,070	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	315,228	371,330
Average attendance ...	No.	*	*	122,528	154,404	160,776	248,606	298,743
Expenditure by State ...	£000	133	509	770	762	1,243	3,559	5,054

* Information not available. ** Includes Ship Stores exported oversea. § Not comparable with previous years. ‡ Year ended 30th June.

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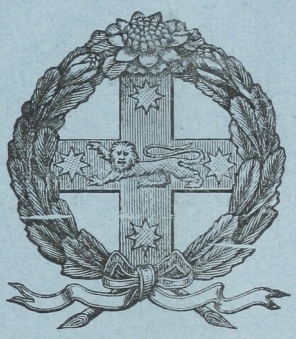
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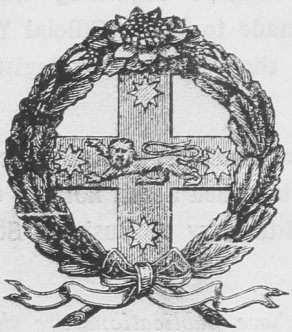
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No. 1.—Population of New South Wales and Causes of Increase.

(Including Aboriginals.)

Period.	Population at end of Quarter.	Births during Quarter.	Deaths during Quarter.	Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Quarter by Migration. (Excess of Arrivals over Departures.) Interstate. By Land.	By Sea.	Total.	Oversea.	Increase by Migration.
1928 Quarter.									
March ...	2,415,511	13,838	5,233	8,605	757	721	1,478	3,544	5,022
June ...	2,424,654	13,681	5,284	8,397	(-) 773	466	(-) 307	1,053	746
September	2,438,873	13,653	6,151	7,502	1,029	1,229	2,258	4,459	6,717
December	2,446,874	13,628	6,026	7,602	(-) 2,319	(-) 472	(-) 2,791	3,190	399
Year ...	...	54,800	22,694	32,106	(-) 1,306	1,944	638	12,246	12,884
1929 Quarter.									
March ...	2,458,721	13,105	5,411	7,694	3,194	548	3,742	411	4,153
June ...	2,464,006	13,466	5,752	7,714	(-) 1,568	(-) 95	(-) 1,663	(-) 766	(-) 2,429
September	2,471,286	13,630	7,926	5,704	(-) 63	(-) 395	(-) 458	2,034	1,576
December	2,479,147	12,471	5,526	6,945	(-) 882	(-) 155	(-) 1,037	1,953	916
Year ...	...	52,672	24,615	28,057	681	(-) 97	584	3,632	4,216
1930 Quarter.									
March ...	2,485,199	13,030	5,261	7,769	(-) 532	1,030	498	(-) 2,215	(-) 1,717
June ...	2,486,735	12,658	5,331	7,327	(-) 2,103	121	(-) 1,982	(-) 3,809	(-) 5,791
September	2,495,109	13,712	5,520	8,192	51	285	336	(-) 154	182
December	2,502,039	12,736	5,140	7,596	(-) 1,078	166	(-) 912	246	(-) 666
Year ...	...	52,136	21,252	30,884	(-) 3,662	1,602	(-) 2,060	(-) 5,932	(-) 7,992

(-) Denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

No. 2.—Net Migration to and from New South Wales.

Excess of Arrivals over Departures. (—) Denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

Country.	1929. March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	Total.	1930. March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	Total.
Interstate—										
Victoria	2,433	928	(-) 1,275	(-) 2,056	30	779	488	70	(-) 1,607	(-) 270
Queensland	605	(-) 3,243	178	1,739	(-) 721	(-) 628	(-) 3,427	(-) 51	831	(-) 3,275
South Australia ...	779	660	614	128	2,181	651	438	169	73	1,331
Western Australia ...	234	(-) 66	(-) 36	190	322	236	(-) 75	29	290	480
Tasmania	(-) 198	2	19	(-) 1,203	(-) 1,380	(-) 180	300	41	(-) 687	(-) 526
Northern Territory ...	(-) 32	(-) 52	29	(-) 6	(-) 61	3	(-) 26	(-) 1	25	1
Federal Territory ...	(-) 144	43	(-) 52	106	(-) 47	(-) 428	255	14	98	(-) 61
Adjustment	65	65	65	65	260	65	65	65	65	260
Total, Interstate ...	3,742	(-) 1,663	(-) 458	(-) 1,037	584	498	(-) 1,982	336	(-) 912	(-) 2,060
Oversea—										
United Kingdom ...	37	(-) 1,353	1,258	3,479	3,421	(-) 1,750	(-) 3,061	(-) 216	1,679	(-) 3,348
Canada	(-) 103	(-) 276	67	507	195	(-) 148	(-) 505	149	574	70
South Africa	12	(-) 76	(-) 75	17	(-) 122	(-) 127	(-) 107	(-) 57	(-) 4	(-) 295
Fiji	182	(-) 266	(-) 18	20	(-) 82	86	(-) 252	65	196	95
Hong Kong	(-) 500	28	102	(-) 27	(-) 397	(-) 337	(-) 63	(-) 60	(-) 64	(-) 524
India and Ceylon ...	125	131	112	79	447	43	78	14	60	195
New Zealand	1,019	1,792	299	(-) 2,664	446	500	1,114	(-) 241	(-) 3,013	(-) 1,640
Other British Possessions...	(-) 77	(-) 182	(-) 172	114	(-) 317	(-) 211	(-) 183	12	103	(-) 279
Egypt	16	(-) 70	31	59	36	(-) 17	(-) 30	(-) 30	45	(-) 32
Italy	43	(-) 5	151	145	334	(-) 82	(-) 78	37	344	221
Japan	(-) 57	(-) 20	37	32	(-) 8	(-) 15	13	(-) 3	18	13
South Sea Islands ...	70	(-) 59	89	37	137	33	(-) 45	52	(-) 36	4
United States of America	(-) 127	(-) 172	33	71	(-) 195	(-) 143	(-) 268	(-) 44	160	(-) 295
Other Countries ...	(-) 229	(-) 238	120	84	(-) 263	(-) 47	(-) 422	168	184	(-) 117
Total Oversea ...	411	(-) 766	2,034	1,953	3,632	(-) 2,215	(-) 3,809	(-) 154	246	(-) 5,932
Net Migration ...	4,153	(-) 2,429	1,576	916	4,216	(-) 1,717	(-) 5,791	182	(-) 666	(-) 7,992

NOTE.—The details formerly contained in these tables are published in a mimeograph statement. The statement for December Quarter, 1930, was published on 23rd March, 1931.

No. 3.—Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales—Year 1929, and January-December, 1930.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1929.		During January-December, 1930.					
			Arrivals.			Departures.		
	Total Arrivals.	Total recorded Departures.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British	44,717	40,268	17,503	17,364	34,867	20,636	19,760	40,396
Danish	95	72	48	21	69	63	18	81
Dutch	79	84	73	34	107	66	40	106
French	500	549	342	208	550	298	234	532
German	294	295	239	101	340	236	103	339
Greek	161	181	114	48	162	171	25	196
Italian	727	553	487	180	667	556	108	664
Jugo Slavs	210	242	164	54	218	249	49	298
Maltese (British)	72	115	43	16	59	100	8	108
Norwegian	51	40	19	5	24	14	14	28
Russian	67	91	52	38	90	78	32	110
Swedish	46	59	39	11	50	36	9	45
Swiss	99	107	59	49	108	80	37	117
United States of America...	1,674	1,510	765	563	1,328	805	619	1,424
Other European	526	385	228	133	361	291	107	398
Chinese	2,195	2,282	1,897	159	2,056	2,146	204	2,350
Indians	501	378	496	24	520	300	15	315
Japanese	117	122	117	18	135	136	33	169
Syrians	32	27	28	17	45	32	15	47
Other Non-European ...	243	197	144	87	231	129	67	196
Total	52,406	47,557	22,857	19,130	41,987	26,422	21,497	47,919

No. 4.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1920-30.
(including Aboriginals.)

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1920	2,092,989	53,974	20,961	3,770	20,183	26·09	10·13	9·76	69·9
1921	2,129,505	54,634	20,034	3,436	18,518	25·91	9·50	8·78	63·0
1922	2,174,553	55,214	19,178	2,980	17,583	25·67	8·92	8·17	54·0
1923	2,211,106	54,112	21,051	3,302	17,507	24·68	9·60	7·99	61·0
1924	2,256,090	53,670	20,821	3,191	18,077	24·07	9·34	8·11	59·5
1925	2,300,081	54,615	20,823	2,999	18,522	24·00	9·15	8·14	54·9
1926	2,349,401	53,126	22,188	3,060	19,219	22·88	9·56	8·28	57·6
1927	2,401,884	53,858	22,770	2,960	20,052	22·68	9·59	8·45	55·0
1928	2,446,874	54,800	22,694	3,008	20,076	22·59	9·35	8·27	54·9
1929	2,479,147	52,672	24,615	2,982	19,535	21·37	9·99	7·93	56·6
1930	**2,502,039**	**52,136**	**21,252**	**2,597**	**17,383**	**20·94**	**8·54**	**6·98**	**4·98**

NOTE.—The population of the State at the Census of 3rd April, 1921, was: Males, 1,072,424; Females, 1,029,544; Total, 2,101,968, including Aboriginals 1,597 (males 923, and females 674) of full-blood.
The population is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census, was 2,572.

No. 5.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—Metropolis—1920-30.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1920	900,760	22,352	9,429	1,658	11,606	25·26	10·66	13·12	74·2
1926	1,070,510	21,487	10,220	1,315	10,381	20·40	9·70	9·86	61·2
1927	1,101,190	20,588	10,418	1,161	10,811	18·97	9·60	9·96	56·4
1928	1,127,470	21,151	10,408	1,042	11,009	18·96	9·33	9·87	49·3
1929†	1,238,660	22,347	12,460	1,263	11,488	18·18	10·15	9·35	56·5
1930†	1,253,560	21,927	10,854	1,095	9,859	17·60	8·71	7·91	49·9

† Since 1st Jan., 1929, the statistical boundries of the Metropolis have been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

No. 6.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1930.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.
Abercrombie ...	3,460	Harwood	4,940	Terania	6,640
Amaroo	3,240	Hastings	7,630	Timbrebongie ...	3,900
Apsley	2,690	Holbrook	2,170	Tintenbar	5,790
Ashford	2,370	Hornsby	21,440	Tomki	4,010
Bannockburn ...	3,230	Hume	4,530	Tumbarumba ...	2,310
Barraba	2,120	Illabo	2,860	Tumut	8,440
Baulkham Hills ...	6,220	Imlay	4,480	Turon	3,120
Bellingen	5,170	Jemalong	3,510	Tweed	10,620
Berrigan	4,360	Jerilderie	1,530	Upper Hunter ...	4,920
Bibbenluke ...	2,620	Jindalee	1,950	Urana	2,740
Blacktown ...	11,470	Kearsley	23,740	Wade	6,000
Bland	8,400	Kyeamba	4,270	Wakool	3,290
Blaxland	7,940	Kyogle	8,540	Walgett	3,160
Blue Mountains ...	7,570	Lachlan	5,180	Wallarobba ...	5,240
Bogan	2,040	Lake Macquarie ...	26,330	Waradgery... ...	770
Bolwarra	3,400	Liverpool Plains ...	5,080	Warrah	1,970
Boolooroo	3,060	Lockhart	6,030	Warringah ...	15,700
Boomi	3,000	Lyndhurst	4,990	Waugoola	5,730
Boree	6,410	Macintyre	2,000	Weddin	3,320
Bulli	11,910	Macleay	7,370	Willimbong ...	7,250
Burrangong ...	5,280	Macquarie	4,090	Windouran ...	830
Byron	7,130	Mandowa	2,450	Wingadee	3,250
Cambewarra ...	1,360	Manning	13,010	Wingecarribee ...	4,370
Canobolas	5,530	Marthaguy ...	1,780	Wollondilly ...	5,140
Carrathool	3,850	Merriwa	2,370	Woodburn ...	2,920
Clyde	1,600	Mitchell	4,450	Woy Woy	3,110
Cobbora	5,290	Monaro	2,700	Wyaldra	2,090
Cockburn	3,820	Mulwaree	7,720	Yallaroi	3,100
Colo	5,290	Mumbulla	4,160	Yanko	4,950
Conargo	1,000	Murray	2,560	Yarrowlumla ...	2,250
Coolah	1,660	Murrumbidgee ...	640		
Coolamon	7,600	Murrungal	2,270	Total, Shires ...	695,100
Coonabarabran ...	5,910	Muswellbrook ...	3,320	Summary—	
Copmanhurst ...	3,090	Nambucca	6,640	Shires	695,100
Coreen	3,200	Namoi	6,830	Municipalities ...	1,792,520
Crookwell	5,860	Narraburra ...	4,800	Western Division—Unincorporated Area	14,308
Cudgegong ...	5,140	Nattai	3,970	Lord Howe Island...	111
Culcairn	5,340	Nepean	2,620		
Dalgety	3,460	Nundle	1,180	Total, State of New South Wales ...	2,502,039
Demondrille ...	3,330	Nymboida	2,180		
Dorrigo	8,070	Oberon	2,530		
Dumaresq	4,520	Orara	1,650		
Erina	16,210	Patrick Plains ...	6,190		
Eurobodalla ...	4,660	Peel...	6,660		
Gilgandra	4,860	Port Stephens ...	3,810		
Gloucester	3,920	Rylstone	4,520		
Goobang	6,010	Severn	5,510		
Goodradigbee ...	3,030	Stroud	5,740		
Gostwyck	4,260	Sutherland ...	12,280		
Gundagai	5,050	Talbragar	3,620		
Gundurimba ...	3,880	Tallaganda... ...	2,270		
Gunning	3,330	Tamarang	2,690		
Guyra	6,460	Tarro	6,960		
Gwydir	1,070	Tenterfield ...	4,680		

NOTE.—For population of municipalities, see Tables 31 and 32.

No. 7.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales by Countries.

Country.	Imports (Country of Origin).			Exports (Value in Australian Currency).		
	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.*	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	26,320,855	23,619,283	22,200,199	13,672,444	13,011,047	11,622,586
Canada	1,622,135	1,921,359	1,503,111	312,492	277,437	300,279
Fiji	62,555	49,404	45,537	464,003	492,813	420,745
Hong Kong ...	10,742	11,066	14,304	166,417	217,989	141,789
India and Ceylon	3,024,188	3,359,247	3,299,057	138,888	786,783	688,304
Irish Free State ...	451	98	35,328	11,559	92,041	248
Malaya	577,266	394,765	313,010	437,543	399,471	373,250
New Zealand ...	1,414,989	927,639	753,489	2,519,143	2,467,992	2,613,661
Union of South Africa	491,991	431,060	209,769	150,945	172,372	127,297
Other Oversea British	1,370,043	1,354,310	1,071,883	1,026,445	1,130,113	900,420
Total, British	34,895,215	32,068,231	29,445,687	18,899,879	19,048,058	17,188,579
Belgium	374,502	306,378	387,500	3,729,040	3,708,508	1,867,749
Czecho-Slovakia ...	273,001	330,799	271,092	19,665	15,916	16,431
China	336,832	338,626	298,539	136,987	288,775	90,594
France	1,614,057	1,659,890	1,437,827	7,158,406	6,643,150	5,202,904
Germany	1,939,335	1,851,637	1,767,412	5,077,241	4,498,985	2,646,366
Italy	544,300	604,497	588,029	1,527,248	1,750,678	842,914
Japan	2,150,265	2,391,399	2,079,794	6,551,326	6,390,395	2,785,514
Netherlands ...	484,835	678,582	648,306	199,721	199,889	73,736
Netherlands East Indies	2,552,993	3,456,359	2,999,463	506,129	487,604	497,345
New Caledonia ...	32,151	30,951	34,632	244,602	242,627	138,370
Norway	432,461	292,678	220,474	63	590	886
Philippine Islands	79,882	73,933	77,343	218,235	170,372	155,215
Russia	34,069	62,835	80,498	874,911	597,055	137,719
Sweden	724,592	627,406	635,684	220,740	159,463	24,294
Switzerland ...	950,257	935,744	723,717	5,079	3,725	4,705
United States of America	16,745,612	16,883,404	13,946,799	5,612,409	3,166,276	3,390,697
Other Foreign ...	907,907	897,774	876,621	901,248	1,916,824	697,789
Total, Foreign ...	30,177,051	31,422,892	27,073,730	32,983,050	30,240,832	18,573,228
Total, all Oversea Trade	65,072,266	63,491,123	57,129,636	51,882,929	49,288,890	35,761,807

* Value of containers (£610,219) included in total—country of origin not recorded.

No. 8.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Monthly.

Month.	Imports.				Exports (Value in Australian Currency).			
	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.	1930–31.	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.	1930–31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	5,708,265	5,236,620	6,001,173	3,336,617	3,037,645	1,890,742	1,717,308	2,200,863
August ...	6,608,990	5,942,394	5,300,929	2,775,710	4,537,609	2,329,079	1,730,897	1,438,652
September	6,023,873	3,914,945	5,965,401	2,724,792	5,679,304	3,704,543	4,072,466	2,238,474
	18,341,128	15,093,959	17,267,503	8,837,119	13,254,558	7,924,364	7,520,671	5,877,989
October ...	6,168,842	6,498,171	4,986,230	2,588,866	4,882,564	4,872,296	3,333,886	3,028,564
November	5,715,456	5,352,446	5,924,079	2,405,620	5,607,158	5,634,673	3,802,942	3,086,595
December	4,944,217	5,277,015	4,439,693	2,444,499	4,957,125	5,830,362	3,640,418	3,008,014
	16,828,515	17,127,632	15,350,002	7,438,985	15,446,847	16,337,331	10,777,246	9,123,173
January ...	5,528,947	6,667,701	5,488,285	2,015,861	4,860,491	4,095,506	2,442,191	2,124,162
February	5,234,074	4,520,656	3,892,108	1,661,724	5,270,376	6,280,544	2,940,075	3,066,229
March ...	4,860,121	4,866,529	4,800,398	1,860,487	5,952,571	5,553,226	4,251,886	3,880,870
	15,623,142	15,454,886	14,180,791	5,538,072	16,083,438	15,929,276	9,634,152	9,071,261
April ...	3,933,356	5,223,962	3,863,456	1,256,296	2,023,997	3,391,601	2,156,106	2,489,440
May ...	5,682,486	5,079,170	3,740,065	1,319,737	2,336,152	3,460,982	3,275,035	2,098,794
June ...	4,770,824	5,348,006	2,737,535	...	2,876,421	2,318,841	2,384,687	...
	14,386,666	15,651,138	10,341,056	...	7,236,570	9,171,424	7,815,828	...

NOTE.—The monthly figures are subject to alteration, and their total does not agree with the figures in Table No. 9.

The value of gold, bullion and specie, included in the successive years was: Imports—£800,300; £210,523; £202,741, and £187,505;. Exports—£2,080,613; £205,877; £4,133,442: and £204,515.

No. 9.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales.

Article Imported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Year ended 30th June.		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.	101,291	33,838	21,076	8,180	118,960	42,211	3,176	1,204
Apparel and Attire	...	509,325	...	127,347	...	582,787	...	20,191
Socks and Stockings	...	372,417	...	39,233	...	401,642	...	4,735
Bags and Sacks—								
Bran, Chaff, and Fodder doz.	272,670	111,959	214,080	65,578	379,290	149,269	80,264	22,068
Corn and Flour ... „	663,901	306,810	1,239,863	453,095	762,651	345,755	44,250	14,638
Woolpacks ... ... „	79,710	184,844	84,575	154,182	101,764	227,824	7,678	12,134
Blankets, Blanketing, and Flannels...	...	24,559	...	5,133	...	29,394	...	1,435
Books (printed), etc.	...	417,645	...	294,819	...	520,881	...	58,438
Boots and Shoes	...	150,366	...	30,347	...	174,422	...	6,731
Brushware	...	120,598	...	42,884	...	146,676	...	6,779
Clocks and Watches	...	230,063	...	80,455	...	259,836	...	10,188
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	4,358,860	177,383	3,003,003	82,990	5,778,841	236,116	1,357,444	25,785
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... „	630,400	35,693	20,946	1,793	703,573	40,951	6,078	410
Copra ... ... „	378,619	371,471	133,690	67,853	520,262	497,320	41,258	23,072
Cosies, Cushions, Counterpanes, Quilts, Table Covers, etc. ...	...	207,867	...	86,174	...	239,147	...	13,989
Cream of Tartar ... ... lb.	486,655	24,052	106,416	5,217	657,791	32,607	3,360	72
Cutlery, Spoons, and Forks, n.e.i.	...	166,360	...	141,405	...	226,647	...	20,082
Dyes	...	36,811	...	29,609	...	48,512	...	5,968
Earthenware, etc.	...	120,562	...	71,793	...	147,367	...	10,937
Fancy Goods	...	281,806	...	169,454	...	331,907	...	14,463
Fish—Preserved in tins, etc., 1,000 lb.	11,234	577,277	4,143	173,057	12,388	639,301	1,751	69,609
Floor Coverings—								
Carpets and Carpeting, etc. ...	...	515,563	...	173,454	...	617,055	...	33,325
Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc. ...	...	273,767	...	65,000	...	316,690	...	14,618
Furniture	...	122,022	...	18,945	...	138,650	...	3,845
Glass and Glassware	...	395,993	...	94,417	...	458,311	...	17,090
Gloves	...	149,685	...	81,175	...	186,213	...	18,253
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, and Matte ... ... oz.	51,945	134,940	52,793	173,257	67,982	179,627	23,025	79,932
Grain and Pulse—								
Maize ... ... cntl.	33,138	12,187	47	88	33,651	12,423	15	36
Oats ... ... „	2,327	1,370	522	414	2,531	1,526	10	8
Rice ... ... „	66,210	48,897	28,881	16,679	85,232	62,069	5,808	3,427
Gums and Resins ... cwt.	65,954	130,756	48,299	59,685	89,424	187,661	15,140	19,818
Hats and Caps	...	275,525	...	44,059	...	309,448	...	6,381
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee... cwt.	227,262	208,305	56,625	68,898	284,465	272,340	12,147	16,996
Structural Girders, etc. „	254,335	113,011	29,291	13,577	284,698	128,412	101	58
Pig ... ... „	13,020	3,087	12,842	2,822	19,220	4,573	6,000	1,230
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised „	255,073	247,564	44,196	38,448	299,607	286,809	3,287	2,710
Other ... ... „	980,137	837,877	462,508	398,510	1,212,532	1,053,608	111,454	96,312
Jewellery and Precious Stones .	...	230,028	...	54,135	...	261,583	...	8,966
Kapok ... ... lb.	3,018,575	126,880	1,510,640	40,375	4,019,765	166,501	559,797	12,581
Kinematograph Films	...	220,827	...	353,530	...	279,107	...	181,611
Lamps and Lampware	...	146,149	...	57,994	...	177,317	...	18,332
Leather	...	64,111	...	14,722	...	77,702	...	2,961
Linseed ... ... cntl	320,083	301,423	269,323	167,634	396,104	372,758	132,910	59,867
Machinery and Implements—								
Agricultural	...	97,426	...	38,681	...	111,411	...	5,411
Electrical—								
Cable and Wire, covered, cwt.	194,971	800,368	84,367	361,406	224,404	970,589	20,584	72,153
Other	...	1,810,528	...	1,151,727	...	2,347,953	...	208,793
Engines	...	401,393	...	193,688	...	508,182	...	43,861
Mining	...	86,076	...	13,862	...	92,798	...	3,954
Sewing	...	147,899	...	49,960	...	189,524	...	15,230
Other	...	1,880,283	...	794,583	...	2,382,006	...	162,664
Matches and Vestas, gross boxes	184,622	29,833	4	2	196,084	31,681	...	...
Medicines (Proprietary)... ...	...	164,335	...	122,069	...	215,074	...	29,821

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No. 9.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales—*cont'd.*

Article Imported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Year ended 30th June		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Metal Manufactures, other than Machinery—								
Pipes, Tubes, and Fittings ..	...	469,707	...	143,437	...	528,795	...	37,530
Wire	...	98,340	...	42,205	...	118,567	...	13,432
Wire-netting	...	2,497	...	...	...	2,497	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	986,823	...	354,424	...	1,170,502	...	87,826
Musical Instruments—								
Pianos ... ... No.	780	53,495	20	1,582	828	56,966	4	242
Parts	...	14,313	...	3,221	...	19,646	...	1,044
Oils—								
Petroleum and Shale Spirit.								
Benzine, etc. 1,000 gal.	62,139	2,011,867	46,259	1,135,572	80,525	2,596,246	18,773	403,335
Kerosene ... 1,000 „	7,704	202,209	6,884	158,112	10,190	270,086	2,224	52,276
Lubricating (Mineral) „	3,990	325,311	3,361	220,171	5,040,683	400,164	733	44,279
Residual ... ... „	186	2,169	1,631	10,723	186,584	2,220	548	3,034
Paper—Printing	...	1,183,188	...	550,948	...	1,482,927	...	119,322
Writing, and Typewriting (plain) etc.	...	211,092	...	133,981	...	258,994	...	40,589
Wrapping	...	121,376	...	63,677	...	151,813	...	22,236
Piece Goods—								
Canvas and Duck	...	184,077	...	98,905	...	234,242	...	23,194
Cotton	...	2,208,300	...	1,256,317	...	2,661,576	...	257,123
Linen, n.e.i.	...	122,100	...	63,738	...	138,249	...	16,141
Hessians, Brattice Cloth, and other Jute	...	239,364	...	114,726	...	298,442	...	26,700
Silk, etc.	...	2,025,934	...	1,094,161	...	2,351,265	...	245,146
Velvets, Velveteens, etc. ..	...	212,205	...	71,872	...	244,264	...	42,080
Woollens	...	370,563	...	49,520	...	413,445	...	9,858
Other	...	824,576	...	164,463	...	931,070	...	72,151
Rubber Manufactures	...	300,934	...	130,072	...	365,049	...	33,004
Sewing and other Cottons, Threads, etc.	...	279,410	...	143,154	...	336,281	...	37,431
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet, Matte oz.	11,410	1,042	7,204	466	41,565	3,747	2,754	176
Specie—								
Gold	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver	...	15,229	...	13,978	...	17,379	...	7,136
Spirits (Beverages)—								
Brandy ... ... gal.	10,457	20,550	3,782	5,925	15,618	30,039	139	144
Gin ... ... „	74,523	54,434	8,815	3,881	87,490	64,154	825	519
Rum ... ... „	28,520	15,866	1,448	705	37,654	21,185	...	...
Whisky... ... ... „	490,663	578,503	217,554	251,767	641,989	749,037	75,190	95,721
Other .. .. „	14,686	12,571	5,992	4,269	19,011	16,948	1,316	697
Stationery	...	216,132	...	101,239	...	242,582	...	12,673
Talking Machines, etc.	...	137,848	...	42,979	...	173,420	...	6,348
Tea ... ... 1,000 lb.	22,911	1,627,730	19,171	1,068,473	30,285	2,119,014	6,445	327,583
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. 1,000 sup. ft.	13,686	155,625	37	852	14,801	169,827	10	129
Logs, not sawn, and Spars „	6,064,621	41,145	3,351,492	15,673	7,117,108	47,425	945,311	3,303
Undressed, n.e.i. 1,000 „	123,200	1,247,610	17,983	159,055	138,105	1,404,066	2,543	25,086
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	533,125	85,307	257,537	32,319	715,952	110,827	33,958	4,192
Unmanufactured 1,000 „	11,769	1,072,296	12,832	859,951	15,562	1,412,341	4,091	227,205
Cigars ... ... „	37,652	44,450	9,791	14,917	42,038	48,974	128	67
Cigarettes ... ... „	329,885	159,778	88,351	39,751	406,786	194,882	14,412	6,084
Tools of Trade	...	299,497	...	122,309	...	350,388	...	26,802
Trimmings and Ornaments ..	...	211,455	...	126,429	...	270,256	...	38,520
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc., and parts ...	...	279,343	...	60,505	...	321,413	...	12,306
Motor Bodies ... ... No.	2,923	323,902	63	6,604	3,173	350,811	19	1,918
Motor Chassis ... „	18,426	1,890,036	1,976	170,475	20,966	2,165,811	222	22,421
Other Vehicles and parts ..	...	503,395	...	143,277	...	597,719	...	27,366
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	6,187	14,294	1,341	3,092	6,950	16,311	133	359
Still ... ... „	25,258	14,910	5,818	3,479	30,587	17,940	161	141
Yarns	...	812,461	...	288,158	...	939,063	...	85,791
All other Articles	...	9,602,466	...	5,474,335	...	12,517,658	...	1,534,240
Total ... ... £	...	46,328,145	...	21,814,176	...	57,129,636	...	5,538,072

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No. 10.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales.

Article Exported.	Nine months ended 31st March.				Year ended 30th June.		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Apparel and Attire	...	51,322	...	48,547	...	62,194	...	15,279
Biscuits ... ... lb.	1,842,854	62,022	1,291,401	45,678	2,336,394	79,429	362,762	12,071
Books (Printed), etc.	...	48,718	...	42,920	...	63,332	...	12,210
Boots and Shoes ...	...	8,793	...	10,133	...	12,176	...	2,508
Butter ... ... 1,000 lb.	18,254	1,299,030	23,515	1,250,777	19,917	1,415,176	12,175	688,068
Cheese ... ... lb	92,810	5,153	87,052	4,129	127,790	7,053	26,979	1,147
Coal ... ... ton	93,480	119,096	241,107	268,990	153,591	193,591	74,347	78,306
Coke ... ... ,,	1,330	3,544	580	1,579	1,710	4,699	128	275
Concentrates—								
Silver and Silver-Lead cwt.	1,328	1,000	207	70	2,012	1,831	...	...
Other	...	859	...	2,019	...	1,159	...	365
Confectionery ... ... lb.	323,039	35,957	331,270	33,988	423,251	46,976	101,919	11,092
Copper ... ... cwt.	69,598	296,925	112,804	289,156	126,953	496,465	39,685	97,010
Eggs ... ... doz.	1,624,340	123,049	2,351,099	139,044	1,627,367	123,443	5,610	449
Fruits, Dried—								
Currants ... ... lb.	99,959	2,612	93,377	1,833	153,386	3,457	28,170	613
Raisins ... ... ,,	208,696	5,720	709,843	13,029	873,516	17,510	371,682	5,187
Fruits, Fresh—								
Apples ... ... cntl.	6,199	7,036	18,531	21,859	29,140	25,386	14,158	14,525
Citrus (Lemons and Oranges) ,,	19,228	29,632	68,060	63,988	28,626	40,873	1,685	1,763
Fruits and Vegetables (Preserved)	...	19,222	...	57,684	...	41,588	...	12,897
Glue Pieces and Sinews ... cwt.	4,818	7,085	2,567	2,654	5,756	10,600	91	306
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... oz.	239	1,000	16,354	69,731	289	1,218	8,764	37,683
Grain and Pulse—								
Wheat ... ...centals	394,590	175,323	12,575,674	2,658,166	511,644	220,402	8,257,527	1,547,463
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ,,	80,429	43,853	130,512	46,146	119,703	61,857	49,273	15,023
Flour (Wheaten) ... ,,	1,847,470	1,092,262	2,547,593	937,701	2,509,901	1,428,566	866,071	256,496
Hair ... ... lb.	69,670	5,444	53,039	3,089	97,906	6,851	12,104	609
Hats, Caps, and Bonnets ...	...	17,677	...	16,529	...	21,733	...	3,991
Hay and Chaff ... ... cwt.	2,673	1,388	1,566	710	4,002	2,051	607	248
Iron and Steel ... ... ,,	86,097	41,409	57,989	26,047	111,272	54,960	21,238	9,824
Jams and Jellies ... ... lb.	174,700	5,283	175,027	5,317	247,479	7,491	47,375	1,305
Jewellery	...	5,675	...	4,712	...	7,825	...	1,148
Precious Stones, Pearls, etc....	...	13,003	...	10,475	...	22,878	...	5,020
Lard ... ... lb.	174,107	6,024	144,254	5,117	215,593	7,397	57,647	2,026
Lead—								
Contained in Matte ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig ... ... ,,	842,007	939,455	827,274	726,167	1,028,917	1,114,415	318,174	282,600
Sheet and Piping ... ,,	9,131	13,405	3,683	5,043	10,551	15,520	421	479
Leather	...	215,404	...	194,044	...	300,835	...	57,220
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. ...	...	7,751	...	4,774	...	10,044	...	1,185

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No. 10.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales—*continued.*

Article Exported.	Nine months ended 31st March.				Year ended 30th June.		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value
		£		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	315,857	26,634	283,236	16,832	351,319	29,211	51,012	3,120
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef ... ... 1,000 ,,	4,346	91,906	1,697	31,018	5,228	111,828	1,155	19,900
Mutton ... carcases	296,319	246,877	207,669	134,546	381,999	302,618	76,969	45,439
Mutton ... 1,000 lb.	18,414		9,944		16,897		3,716	
Lamb ... carcases	434,402	355,223	532,507	344,230	603,413	474,735	162,271	92,134
Lamb ... 1,000 lb.	13,217		16,831		17,870		4,885	
Rabbits and Hares ... pr.	1,870,651	174,192	2,725,905	201,452	2,370,606	214,120	867,433	49,328
Potted or Concentrated ...	...	16,019	...	10,951	...	24,556	...	2,449
Preserved in tins, etc. ... lb.	1,882,532	70,671	1,882,398	57,380	2,867,205	117,637	680,435	23,109
Medicines	...	77,363	...	65,674	...	103,232	...	18,579
Metal Manufactures other than Machinery	...	239,577	...	227,955	...	310,662	...	71,890
Oils—Cocoanut ... gal.	30,925	4,788	27,592	3,820	38,432	5,874	9,454	1,285
Eucalyptus ... ,,	15,009	8,783	15,250	7,045	15,688	9,182	6,712	3,026
Ores—								
Gold (quartz & concentrates) cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver and Silver-Lead ,,	14,046	13,046	1,611	715	18,352	17,430	...	...
Other	...	7,239	...	5,577	...	9,543	...	1,537
Paints and Colours	...	42,318	...	31,463	...	57,247	...	9,374
Potatoes ... ... cwt.	13,866	10,887	17,266	7,764	21,325	14,963	7,195	3,051
Rubber Manufactures	...	61,613	...	40,737	...	78,129	...	10,515
Sausage Casings	...	129,194	...	106,072	...	182,591	...	34,156
Seeds	...	38,207	...	28,201	...	66,023	...	8,114
Silver—Bar, ingot, sheet and Matte. oz.	4,917	513	98,283	6,542	5,510	568	35,678	2,127
Skins and Hides—Cattle No.	387,333	302,367	446,777	254,118	494,862	386,973	119,705	60,190
Kangaroo ... ... lb.	999,004	165,973	853,585	96,305	1,164,011	185,078	138,955	11,699
Opossum ... ... ,,	111,836	171,346	*167,636	26,796	117,333	175,793	*78	
Rabbit and Hare ... ,,	4,602,659	923,122	3,107,978	296,969	5,818,893	1,042,161	233,708	13,535
Sheep, with Wool No.	2,819,407	756,733	2,450,311	450,155	3,970,013	982,401	484,443	44,397
Sheep, with Wool 1,000 lb.	21,161		18,818		29,739		3,026	
Sheep, without Wool No	215,316	15,133	53,514	2,233	215,412	15,140	...	...
Sheep, without Wool lb	440,239		95,209		440,687		...	
Other	...	90,295	...	40,979	...	95,251	...	1,006
Soap—Toilet (Medicated), etc. lb.	226,506	13,483	61,196	5,028	265,577	16,890	23,474	1,977
Other ... ... ,,	2,224,284	32,156	2,092,718	27,738	2,784,673	40,658	568,000	7,252
Specie—Gold	...	3,442,800	...	41,056	...	4,112,926	...	12,964
Silver	...	7,625	...	93,728	...	18,375	...	36,583
Stationery and Paper	...	60,934	...	56,753	...	83,037	...	12,871
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	14,965	16,765	10,451	12,127	19,162	21,420	3,252	3,708
Tallow, unrefined ... ,,	191,595	326,057	256,751	331,634	257,518	428,773	74,090	83,142
Timber—								
Dressed—Other super. ft.	496,162	13,179	792,059	14,033	591,867	15,423	46,254	900
Logs, not sawn and spars ,,	4,832,492	77,353	4,991,221	71,263	6,211,246	97,123	1,158,692	16,501
Undressed—Other 1,000 ,,	7,897	144,466	7,832	116,986	10,012	180,223	2,128	31,222
Tin Ingots ... ... cwt.	14,572	144,886	8,600	57,715	16,325	159,779	2,749	18,481
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	1,102,582	211,783	731,753	137,304	1,368,238	258,438	229,143	43,022
Cigarettes ... ,,	35,328	18,077	19,128	9,690	42,854	21,943	7,436	3,660
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	1,107	2,276	1,407	2,213	1,313	2,675	169	353
Still (bottled) ... ,,	34,783	23,610	21,328	13,528	45,679	31,198	3,107	1,823
,, (bulk) ... ,,	24,351	6,106	30,907	9,093	27,858	7,273	15,253	5,465
Wool—Greasy bale	759,588	11,256,083	932,035	10,962,399	1,016,466	14,924,284	355,026	4,280,233
Wool—Greasy 1,000 lb. (net)	232,374		288,464		308,329		107,167	
Scoured and Washed bale	48,715	925,546	55,657	760,138	69,614	1,248,817	17,862	196,728
Scoured and Washed 1,000 lb.	11,623		13,184		16,598		4,267	
Wool Tops ... bale	614	50,191	1,881	72,592	764	62,791	456	20,310
Wool Tops ... lb.	287,425		716,691		362,109		206,094	
All other Articles	...	2,407,533	...	1,770,017	...	3,685,834	...	587,712
Total ... ... £	...	27,932,069	...	24,072,423	...	35,761,807	...	9,071,261

* Represents number of skins. Previously indicated in lb.

NOTE.—The foregoing table is a preliminary summary of principal items only. Detailed records are published annually in the Statistical Register of New South Wales. *Value* represents the value in principal markets of New South Wales and is in Australian currency; bonus payments have been deducted from the value of butter.

No. 11.—Principal Articles Shipped at Sydney to and from Australian Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

(excluding Transhipments.)

Article Imported.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June, 1930.		Six months ended 31st December, 1930.		Quarter ended 31 March, 1931.	
		Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.
Ale, Beer, and Stout ...	40 cub. ft.	1,740	46	1,214	19	2,153	13
Bacon and Ham ...	tons	4,162	4,192	1,921	2,501	906	983
Boots, Shoes, &c. ...	40 cub. ft.	2,678	21	1,534	39	607	28
Butter	tons	529	22,165	78	10,622	36	6,831
Cement	tons	7,050	3,316	2,990	611	1,269	91
Chaff	tons	5,827	2	2,295	3	27	...
Cheese	tons	1,060	1,933	527	885	243	423
Coal (Cargo)	tons	3,207	471,196	6	371,866	...	156,009
,, (Bunker)	tons	937	332,304	...	94,140	...	56,076
Confectionery	40 cub. ft.	8,358	83	3,142	19	1,090	23
Eggs (in shell)	doz.	826,099	751,248	426,422	480,816	451,127	104,976
Egg Pulp	40 cub. ft.	1,463	...	341	...	232	...
Fish, Fresh and Frozen	tons	17	7,396	350	2,883	6	1,598
Oysters	bags	...	10,524	...	5,100	...	1,848
Flour	tons (2,240 lb.)	2,382	99	1,174	41	494	22
Grain—Maize	tons	1,328	3,318	878	1,609	417	843
,, Oats	tons	5,273	3	2,033	...	1,130	...
,, Wheat ...	tons	112	...	49	...	65	...
Hay	tons	504	1,321	244	370	155	254
Hides and Skins ...	40 cub. ft.	3,849	3,363	1,849	1,799	738	679
Iron—Galvanized ...	tons	147	30	5	2	11	4
,, Pig	tons	...	204	...	72	3	33
Jams and Jellies ...	tons	4,552	11	1,933	5	1,014	3
Matches (incl. Materials)	40 cub. ft.	1,824	6	786	...	482	4
Milk and Cream preserved.	40 cub. ft.	8,843	1,837	4,439	641	1,574	273
Molasses and Syrup ...	tons	16,176	5,752	9,285	1,689	133	675
Onions	tons	9,507	31	4,864	...	2,798	...
Potatoes	tons	58,297	3,240	32,512	699	17,574	78
Soap	tons	1,317	107	703	10	456	...
Spirits—Brandy ...	40 cub. ft.	885	1	246	...	76	1
,, Gin	40 cub. ft.	1,114	...	373	...	183	...
,, Rum	40 cub. ft.	1,560	1	369	2	24	...
,, Whisky ...	40 cub. ft.	1,071	3	440	...	214	15
Sugar	tons	123,040	19,477	106,222	18,624	1,671	2
Tea	40 cub. ft.	724	23	1,655	7	153	3
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	40 cub. ft.	1,254	4	849	3	329	1
Wines	40 cub. ft.	6,881	81	3,079	12	890	2
Animals—Horses ...	No.	181	161	74	60	56	49
,, Horned cattle	No.	20	4,164	1	1,625	2	280
,, Calves ...	No.	...	1,113	2	334	...	165
,, Sheep ...	No.	319	69	340	...	14	...
,, Pigs ...	No.	19	35,007	...	15,063	...	7,825
Bananas	Cases=1½ bus.or 84lb.	32,112	22,538	25,219	15,933	14,619	15,710
Fruit, Fresh	cases	871,085	90,295	459,455	54,264	131,530	10,093
Timber, Rough & Sawn	super feet	9,716,533	37,025,818	1,915,588	8,166,584	650,933	2,861,878
Wool	bales	25,036	25,614	15,298	15,031	5,513	1,444
ARTICLE EXPORTED.							
Bran, Pollard & Sharps	tons	4,826	215	2,232	140	372	156
Butter	tons	2,269	18	209	13	287	...
Cement	tons	25,475	3,401	6,037	2,234	944	1,478
Coal (Cargo)	tons	148,576	223,751	115	1,313	...	365
,, (Bunker)	tons	132,286	290,919	44,232	79,855	26,796	35,778
Coke	tons	2,514	2,115	2,580	183	2,130	263
Eggs (in shell)	doz.	...	...	15,984	...	...	...
Fertiliser	tons	578	161	248	88	133	36
Flour	tons (2,240 lb.)	17,480	2,487	7,165	1,290	1,314	565
Grain—Wheat ...	tons	456	21	797	14	988	63
Hides	40 cub. ft.	1,865	11	484	9	331	...
Margarine	40 cub. ft.	3,252	104	1,288	68	404	21
Meat—Frozen	tons	266	...	94	...	2	...
,, Preserved ...	40 cub. ft.	1,419	...	402	4	92	3
Oil Cake	40 cub. ft.	1,912	84	1,140	30	209	10
Skins—Furred ...	40 cub. ft.	37	...	16	...	...	...
,, Sheep	40 cub. ft.	7	...	160	...	...	...
Tallow	40 cub. ft.	42	21	8	23	16	...
Tin	tons	345	2	136	...	61	...
Wool	bales	6,974	...	3,087	...	1,376	...

(Tons in alli nstances = 2,240 lb. Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.)

No. 12.—Shipping Entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year ended 30th June.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1929.	Steam ..	2,282	4,472	6,754	6,965,204	1,317,053	8,282,257
	Motor ..	210	92	302	735,136	35,892	771,028
	Sailing ..	6	...	6	6,868	...	6,868
1930.	Steam ..	2,159	3,661	5,820	6,701,669	1,149,447	7,851,116
	Motor ..	288	82	370	1,051,296	34,890	1,086,186
	Sailing ..	2	...	2	4,093	...	4,093
Nine Months ended 1930.	Steam ...	1,686	2,864	4,550	5,221,140	892,922	6,114,062
	Motor ..	219	65	284	810,244	27,050	837,294
	Sailing ..	2	...	2	4,093	...	4,093
31st March. 1931.	Steam ...	1,434	2,753	4,187	4,712,356	919,190	5,631,546
	Motor ...	224	69	293	867,186	26,822	894,008
	Sailing ...	1	...	1	10	...	10

NOTE.—"Oversea and Interstate" shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 13.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

Period.	Tonnage of Cargo discharged.				Tonnage of Cargo shipped.			
	Sydney.	Newcastle	Other Ports.	Total.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.
1930—Jan.-Mar.—	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Oversea ...	484,096	26,578	14,394	525,068	179,344	7,654	16,664	203,662
Interstate ...	179,572	110,979	58,585	349,136	184,680	241,864	120,094	546,638
Total ...	663,668	137,557	72,979	874,204	364,024	249,518	136,758	750,300
1930—April-June—								
Oversea ...	363,727	19,972	9,558	393,257	171,139	27,982	35,914	235,035
Interstate ...	172,569	164,687	5,045	342,301	142,169	173,065	73,653	388,887
Total ...	536,296	184,659	14,603	735,558	313,308	201,047	109,567	623,922
1930—July-Sept.—								
Oversea ...	345,066	19,652	10,225	374,943	214,875	91,251	19,076	325,202
Interstate ...	218,259	131,236	25,858	375,353	123,804	332,842	30,937	487,583
Total ..	563,325	150,888	36,083	750,296	338,679	424,093	50,013	812,785
1930—Oct.-Dec.—								
Oversea ...	307,890	18,561	5,090	331,541	349,304	65,739	5,305	420,348
Interstate ...	179,857	158,335	14,444	352,636	118,369	335,098	29,051	482,518
Total ...	487,747	176,896	19,534	684,177	467,673	400,837	34,356	902,866
1931—Jan.-Mar.—								
Oversea ...	248,446	16,670	7,142	272,258	548,148	64,148	5,924	618,220
Interstate ...	138,826	66,311	25,381	230,518	113,737	319,276	40,741	473,754
Total ...	387,272	82,981	32,523	502,776	661,885	383,424	46,665	1,091,974

NOTE.—Cargo recorded by measurement has been converted to tons—40 cubic feet=1 ton.

No. 14.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Train Miles.	Net Earnings per train mile.		Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s.	d.	No.
1920	5,015	79,318,917	3,512,863	22,834,889	3	1	114,654,660
1921	5,043	82,304,194	3,234,528	22,792,053	2	10	120,735,140
1922	5,116	85,552,871	4,096,717	21,887,065	3	9	121,298,861
1923	5,318	89,276,871	4,571,359	21,693,861	4	2¾	123,714,639
1924	5,523	93,355,167	4,699,086	21,582,779	4	4¼	128,101,184
1925	5,656	99,623,216	4,829,766	23,304,916	4	1¾	128,532,038
1926	5,742	105,237,668	4,419,039	24,624,995	3	7	130,725,581
1927	5,750	112,789,149	5,110,690	26,325,847	3	10½	141,615,806
1928	5,867	117,984,374	4,273,185	26,896,580	3	2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	4,637,566	27,382,124	3	4¾	151,116,086
1930	5,974	126,318,236	2,864,269	26,713,951	2	1¾	147,892,548
Nine Months ended 31st March, 1931	6,044	.....	2,216,639	19,342,622	2	3	96,037,401
Nine Months ended 31st March, 1930	5 974	.....	2,643,149	20,386,939	2	7	113,062,304
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1930	6,014	.....	872,118	6,539,040	2	8	32,168,289
Do do 1929	5 974	.....	1,064,183	6,889,193	3	1	38,170,088
Do do 31st Mar., 1931	6,044	.....	625,019	6,442,282	1	11¼	30,683,170
Do do 1930	5,974	.....	652,881	6,619,186	1	11¾	36,491,403

No. 15.—State Tramways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Tram Mileage.	Net earnings per tram mile.		Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s.	d.	No.
1920	226	8,768,548	395,676	26,889,077	0	3½	324,884,651
1921	227	9,060,757	528,486	28,654,172	0	4½	337,689,873
1922	229	9,505,732	594,519	29,318,532	0	4¾	330,938,567
1923	225	9,975,031	505,808	30,071,022	0	4	331,001,822
1924	228	10,758,958	542,385	32,110,054	0	4	340,957,725
1925	229	11,131,454	444,410	33,761,796	0	3¼	339,576,776
1926	229	11,434,523	299,500	34,214,733	0	2¼	339,411,765
1927	210	11,586,050	318,264	34,188,015	0	2¼	347,231,141
1928	210	11,609,078	619,205	34,471,601	0	4¼	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	622,246	34,081,498	0	4½	333,476,049
1930	211	11,764,978	277,906	32,862,832	0	2	307,789,621
Nine Months ended 31st March, **1931**	**200**	.....	(–)**92,005**	**24,010,800**	(–) **0**	**1**	**208,405,137**
Nine Months ended 31st March, 1930	211	.....	261,278	24,845,402	0	2½	235,909,530
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1930	200	.....	7,353	8,035,516	0	0¼	70,878,040
Do do 1929	211	.....	110,016	8,423,318	0	3¼	81,665,788
Do do 31st Mar., **1931**	**200**	.....	(–) **1,545**	**8,039,671**	(–) **0**	**0·046**	**70,893,516**
Do do 1930	211	.....	69,463	8,209,988	0	2	77,850,066

(–) Denotes loss.

No. 16.—Motor Omnibus Services (Metropolitan Traffic Area).

Year ended 30th June.	Value of Omnibuses Plant and Equipment.	Total Revenue.	Total Expenditure (including Depreciation).	Omnibus Mileage.	Passengers Carried.
	£	£	£		
1929	568,727	1,446,876	1,293,437	16,911,793	89,845,001
1930	618,035	1,540,455	1,398,120	19,927,383	94,481,982
Quarter ended 31st March—					
1931	*	*	*	*	*

Passengers carried in Omnibuses (Metropolis).

Quarter ended—	March.	June.	September.	December.
1929	23,091,652	22,948,953	22,998,065	24,362,774
1930	24,199,797	22,921,346	*	*
1931	*	*	*	*

* Not available.

No. 17.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.

Date.	Cars.	Lorries.	Cycles.	Metropolitan Traffic			Total on Register.	Increase during Quarter.	
				Cabs.	Vans.	Omnibuses.		Cars.	Lorries.
1929.									
31 Mar.	158,864	38,180	31,028	1,224	2,134	591	232,021	3,461	1,051
30 June	162,298	39,503	30,937	1,300	2,186	583	236,807	3,434	1,323
30 Sept.	166,715	41,339	30,858	1,278	2,263	600	243,053	4,417	1,836
31 Dec.	170,039	42,594	30,655	1,364	2,274	612	247,538	3,324	1,255
1930.									
31 Mar.	171,492	43,371	30,198	1,351	2,272	628	249,312	1,453	777
30 June	169,495	43,074	29,410	1,340	2,235	640	246,194	(–) 1,997	(–) 297
30 Sept.	167,812	42,821	28,514	1,233	2,194	643	243,217	(–) 1,683	(–) 253
31 Dec.	164,169	42,278	27,258	1,221	2,186	523	237,635	(–) 3,643	(–) 543
1931.									
31 Jan.	161,776	41,886	26,815	1,218	2,165	559	234,419	(–)5,336	(–)1,190
28 Feb.	160,248	41,480	26,593	1,161	2,145	610	232,237		
31 Mar.	158,833	41,088	26,345	1,159	2,152	640	230,217		
30 April	156,580	40,552	25,938	1,125	2,130	639	226,964		

(–) Denotes decrease.

No. 18.—New South Wales—Average Rainfall in Districts.—Principal Sheep Districts (Principal Wheat Divisions are marked "A.")

Normal Rainfall=100.

Division of Hinterland.	Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall.					
	1930.		1931.				1930.		1931.			
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.
	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
Tablelands—												
North ... W ...	2·65	1·62	2·65	2·85	6·17	3·43	85	44	69	95	217	187
North ... E ...	1·09	1·23	2·87	5·95	7·54	2·57	33	30	53	115	151	86
Central ... N A	1·89	3·17	1·86	0·58	4·11	3·52	84	116	77	28	186	191
Central ... S A	1·60	3·82	1·79	2·06	5·71	8·24	62	122	50	66	173	307
Southern	0·96	2·71	1·14	0·59	3·05	2·94	51	116	45	29	140	178
Western Slopes—												
North ... N A	3·44	1·46	0·73	1·64	8·00	2·80	139	48	22	62	316	165
North ... S A	1·37	1·67	1·95	0·79	4·36	3·06	54	54	69	33	188	178
Central ... N A	1·31	1·95	1·48	0·99	5·76	3·93	64	70	58	44	268	212
Central ... S A	1·82	3·58	1·70	0·92	4·13	3·45	105	165	81	57	222	203
South ... N A	1·46	2·83	1·70	0·43	4·88	3·34	91	149	94	31	285	204
South ... S ...	1·99	5·22	1·68	0·91	7·17	2·98	101	247	87	56	333	146
Plains—												
North ... W ...	1·05	0·68	0·46	0·44	6·94	1·87	61	28	19	21	379	131
North ... E A	1·27	0·84	0·72	0·41	8·10	2·43	60	30	27	18	367	157
Central ... S A	1·61	4·51	1·05	0·26	3·95	2·76	124	275	63	19	288	194
Central ... N ...	1·21	2·20	1·07	0·22	5·24	3·18	79	114	58	14	336	208
Riverina ... E A	1·54	5·41	0·76	0·54	3·79	2·22	125	429	64	45	287	176
Riverina ... W A	0·81	4·94	0·47	0·25	2·77	2·54	79	475	49	28	286	270
Western Division—												
Eastern ... N ...	0·81	2·35	0·30	0·33	1·05	1·07	68	155	19	12	211	255
Eastern ... S ...	0·96	3·15	0·33	0·19	1·56	2·46	99	267	31	19	151	283
Western ... N ...	0·36	2·67	0·09	0·06	0·97	3·03	56	290	11	7	124	594
Western ... S ...	0·53	1·80	0·11	0·02	1·36	3·34	68	219	16	2	194	514

Principal Dairying Districts.

Normal Rainfall=100.

Division of Coast.	Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall.					
	1930.		1931.				1930.		1931.			
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.
	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ... N	1·37	2·85	3·07	18·65	10·28	8·55	36	61	46	289	138	152
North ... S	1·91	2·43	2·43	10·47	6·03	13·14	48	50	39	153	81	260
Hunter and Manning ... N	1·10	4·66	2·68	3·30	6·02	18·37	33	101	58	59	113	347
Hunter and Manning ... S	0·95	4·08	2·08	2·29	5·71	11·34	38	115	63	70	159	346
South ... N	1·32	6·57	1·50	2·91	4·59	8·24	53	187	37	82	113	200
South ... S	1·12	4·04	1·79	1·56	3·69	5·81	48	136	49	44	97	202

NOTE.—The above tables are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in the frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned.

No. 19.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall (New South Wales).

Normal Rainfall each month=100.

Month.	Pastoral Districts.		Wheat Districts.		Dairying Districts.	
	1930.	1931.	1930.	1931.	1930.	1931.
January	75	55	44	69	103	48
February	43	37	36	37	68	181
March	64	255	48	270	148	123
April	68	210	67	204	132	215
May	90	280	82	312	174	74
June	154	...	111	...	351	...
July	119	...	103	...	61	...
August	121	...	124	...	93	...
September	46	...	43	...	30	...
October	207	...	234	...	113	...
November	83	...	93	...	41	...
December	166	...	248	...	89	...

No. 20.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat. (grain only).	Maize. (grain only).	Oats. (grain only).	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1920	1,474,174	136,509	76,117	4,827	938,400	4,233	20,043	3,770,155
1921	3,127,377	144,105	77,709	5,519	854,263	4,589	27,673	4,464,342
1922	3,194,949	146,687	69,795	5,400	750,928	4,818	29,494	4,445,848
1923	2,942,857	138,169	74,006	5,879	889,457	5,396	22,568	4,694,088
1924	2,945,335	166,974	86,693	6,733	1,023,717	6,548	21,879	4,808,046
1925	3,550,078	146,564	123,517	7,761	763,287	6,958	23,403	4,911,148
1926	2,925,012	120,955	101,097	8,688	750,605	6,977	22,731	4,541,423
1927	3,352,736	128,516	105,115	10,128	625,616	7,051	21,941	4,595,711
1928	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515
1929	4,090,083	106,835	126,743	6,783	684,730	7,077	14,830	5,440,762
1930	**3,974,064**	**108,219**	**181,354**	**7,967**	**698,395**	**7,019**	**12,785**	**5,499,408**

Production of Crops.

(In thousands, 000 omitted).

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1920	4,388	4,052	587	91	581	718	50	13,582
1921	55,625	4,176	1,643	131	1,375	674	63	32,373
1922	42,767	3,976	1,170	149	1,029	627	58	20,261
1923	28,668	3,287	1,251	148	1,061	771	36	21,301
1924	33,176	4,623	1,570	132	1,173	1,460	61	20,556
1925	59,767	4,208	2,511	229	1,153	1,171	57	28,785
1926	33,806	3,278	1,616	297	866	1,241	43	20,741
1927	47,541	3,599	1,899	230	878	1,626	53	22,098
1928	27,042	3,931	1,655	209	754	2,295	47	17,018
1929	49,257	2,506	2,184	147	793	1,482	26	19,923
1930	**34,407**	**3,036**	**2,529**	**174**	**687**	**1,934**	**24**	**15,438**

Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1920	3·0	29·7	7·7	18·92	0·62	170	2·49	3 12 1
1921	17·8	29·0	21·1	23·79	1·61	147	2·29	7 5 0
1922	13·4	27·1	16·8	27·68	1·37	145	1·96	4 11 2
1923	9·7	23·8	16·9	25·17	1·19	168	1·58	4 10 9
1924	11·3	27·7	18·1	19·62	1·15	223	2·79	4 5 6
1925	16·8	28·7	20·3	29·50	1·51	168	2·45	5 17 3
1926	11·6	27·1	16·0	34·20	1·15	178	1·90	4 11 4
1927	14·2	28·0	18·1	22·73	1·40	230	2·43	4 16 2
1928	8·9	26·4	14·4	24·40	1·11	†	2·20	3 8 2
1929	12·0	23·5	17·2	21·70	1·16	†	1·78	3 13 3
1930	8·7	26·9	13·9	21·90	0·99	†	1·87	2 16 2
Av'ge for 10 years (1921-1930)	12·4	27·0	17·0	25·17	1·25	†	2·14	4 10 3

NOTE.—The figures above exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.
* Exclusive of area double cropped.
† Not available. Wine produced was not wholly from area shown above.
Rice, 1929-30: Area 19,780 acres, yield 1,829,173 bushels paddy rice.

No. 21.—Wheat Production, 1930-31.

A special statement containing the final estimate of the wheat crop of 1930-31 was issued on 19th May, 1931. The totals were :—

	Area sown with Wheat.	Yield of Wheat and Hay.	Average yield per acre.
	Acres.		
For grain	5,123,100	65,811,000 bus.	12·8 bus (wheat).
For hay	519,900	670,750 tons	1·29 tons (hay).
Fed off	21,600		
Total ...	5,664,600		

No. 22.—Live Stock.

Period, 30th June.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.	All other.	Total.		
1920	662,264	903,023	2,181,309	3,084,332	33,150,000	253,910
1921	663,178	941,742	2,433,525	3,375,267	37,750,000	306,253
1922	669,800	974,087	2,572,443	3,546,530	41,070,000	383,669
1923	660,031	958,287	2,292,893	3,251,180	38,760,000	340,853
1924	658,372	949,135	1,989,387	2,938,522	41,440,000	323,196
1925	647,503	982,850	1,893,404	2,876,254	47,100,000	339,669
1926	651,035	984,501	1,952,629	2,937,130	53,860,000	382,674
1927	623,392	992,419	1,826,234	2,818,653	55,930,000	332,921
1928	598,377	1,002,837	1,845,817	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819
1929	567,371	1,023,187	1,761,428	2,784,615	50,184,950	311,605
1930	534,945	1,039,949	1,846,183	2,686,132	48,720,000	323,499

The number of sheep in the State at 31st December, 1930, was 49,870,000.

No. 23.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying—Principal Items.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool. (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1920	352,071,000	63,135,000	6,762,467	16,669,598
1921	275,269,000	84,268,041	6,407,209	16,257,242
1922	333,856,000	100,672,581	7,367,057	20,422,870
1923	336,899,000	73,723,597	5,198,905	19,245,866
1924	303,232,000	72,684,093	5,912,656	19,052,109
1925	369,118,000	117,211,347	7,705,596	21,076,796
1926	402,490,000	106,967,661	6,462,535	22,958,371
1927	499,322,000	96,551,738	6,735,960	24,603,065
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	482,920,000	96,244,230	6,339,052	23,087,271
1930	459,970,000	105,022,384	6,345,785	21,616,472

NOTE.—Butter produced in factories 9 months ended 31st March, 1930—78,118,686 lb.
" " 1931—81,645,937 lb.

No. 24.—Shearing—Quantity and Value of Wool Produced.

Year ended 30th June.	No. of Sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs.	Weight of Wool Produced.			Value of Wool Produced. (On basis of average prices at Sydney Auctions).	
			Shorn Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on Skins.	Total.		
	thousands.	lb.	thousands lb. greasy.			d. per lb.	£
1926	45,550	8·1	369,500	32,990	402,490	16⅞	28,216,000
1927	51,880	8·8	457,552	41,770	499,322	17⅛	35,629,000
1928	53,730	7·5	406,080	37,780	443,860	19½	36,064,000
1929	50,300	8·8	446,090	36,830	482,920	16½	33,206,000
1930	53,260	7·8	417,730	42,240	459,970	10½	20,123,000
1931	48,840*	7·8*	385,000*	45,000*	430,000*	8½*	15,230,000*

* Preliminary estimate subject to revision.

NOTE.—Preliminary statistics as to sheep in 1930, as compared with 1929, are as follows:—

	Year ended 31st December.	
	1929.	1930.
Number of sheep at end of year	50,740,000	49,870,000
Lambs marked during year	12,560,000	10,950,000
Sheep slaughtered during year	5,380,000	6,350,000
Net export (Interstate)	2,410,000	1,090,000
Number of deaths (approximate)	4,540,000	4,380,000

No. 25.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1929 and 1930.

Minerals.	1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£
Coal ... ... ton	7,617,736	5,952,720	7,093,055	5,193,032
Gold ... ... oz. fine	7,496	31,842	12,493	53,066
Silver—Ingots and Matte ... ... oz.	4,471	392	5,290	267
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ... ton	285,031	3,032,349	279,513	2,088,523
Zinc Concentrates ... ... ,,	231,237	802,693	297,762	986,087
Tin Ingots and Ore ... ... ,,	934	191,199	590	84,800
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... ... ,,	176	14,183	242	8,347
Silica ... ... ,,	20,699	6,599	13,667	6,204
Manganese Ore ... ... ,,	233	946	125	375
Limestone Flux ... ... ,,	69,243	25,966	28,556	10,708
Opal (Noble)	...	6,071	...	5,500
All other Minerals	...	1,858,555	...	1,656,788
Total ... ... £	...	11,923,515	...	10,093,697
Other :—				
Portland Cement* ... ... ton	433,965	1,780,021	243,368	926,792
Lime ... ... ,,	41,049	112,667	19,971	52,365
Coke* ... ... ,,	464,360	757,580	367,772	589,342

* Quantity manufactured and value.

No. 26.—Factories, 1921-30.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments.	Persons Engaged (including Working Proprietors).			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.†
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1921	5,837	112,187	32,824	145,011	31,115,444	25,618,591	137,841,386
1922	6,356	112,362	36,514	148,876	35,229,530	26,783,242	132,820,065
1923	6,703	115,287	37,299	152,586	37,579,386	27,135,647	132,853,608
1924	7,321	121,845	37,829	159,674	41,141,890	29,772,994	146,359,260
1925	7,906	126,496	39,264	165,760	43,553,900	31,520,849	159,608,873
1926	8,196	132,239	41,862	174,101	45,994,534	33,566,546	169,963,146
1927	8,222	138,309	44,884	183,193	48,659,375	37,092,196	179,302,446
1928	8,362	137,936	44,724	182,660	50,489,674	37,818,141	181,403,084
1929	8,465	139,104	46,038	185,142	51,365,710	38,544,687	185,298,575
1930	8,208	125,769	41,921	167,690	53,515,368	*34,875,995	167,250,618

* Of this amount males received £30,228,967 and females £4,647,028. † The value added in process of manufacture shown in Table 28.

No. 27.—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1929 and 1930.

Article Manufactured.	Quantity.		Value.	
	1929.	1930.	1929.	1930.
			£	£
Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc. ... doz.	6,980,373	7,347,121†	1,071,897	950,210
Ale, Beer, and Stout ... ... gals.	29,420,920	26,113,448	3,176,085	2,827,267
Apparel and Attire—				
Clothing—Slop	...	...	2,819,448	2,124,277
„ Tailoring	...	...	1,625,109	1,297,454
„ Other (Underclothing, White work, etc., Shirts, Ties, etc., Waterproof Clothing) ...	...	...	2,300,962	2,097,640
Dressmaking and Millinery	...	...	1,129,054	892,447
Other Knitted Garments ... No.	8,862,445	9,027,777	1,244,392	1,111,646
Socks and Stockings ... doz. pairs	1,142,192	1,021,646	1,343,990	1,146,988
Bacon and Ham ... ... lb.	22,340,106	20,984,249	1,163,507	1,047,625
Biscuits ... ... „	43,289,522	40,820,175	1,462,757	1,351,068
Blankets and Flannel	...	...	227,738	188,199
Boots, Shoes and Slippers ... ... pairs	5,123,148	4,439,940	2,632,713	2,088,638
Bricks—Building ... ... No.	437,157,614	307,054,500	1,625,464	1,094,325
Brooms and Brushware	...	...	280,393	304,099
Butter ... ... lb.	91,733,572	100,814,354	7,173,369	7,405,007
Candles ... ... „	2,896,276	1,459,808	104,297	53,511
Chemicals, Drugs, etc.	...	..	2,689,911	2,724,300
Cheese ... ... lb.	6,203,409	6,163,295	282,755	279,929
Coke ... ... tons.	1,003,626	821,257	1,441,321	1,131,455
Confectionery	...	...	3,068,532	2,919,893
Electric Light and Power ... ... units.	959,984,800	996,116,500	4,930,839	5,319,891
Flour ... ... tons.	449,011	432,472	4,977,770	4,612,248
Furniture, incl. Seagrass, Wicker, & Bamboo	...	...	2,578,117	1,982,989
Gas ... ... 1,000 cub. ft.	10,683,530	10 991,780	2,139,694	2,190,737
Gelatine ... ... cwt.	19,860	21,880	174,755	175,046
Hats and Caps ... ... No.	2,680,332	2,808,396	948,292	848,111
Ice ... ... tons.	258,833	216,513	503,605	410,734
Iron and Steel ... ... „	353,921	256,696	*	*
Jams and Preserves ... ... lb.	30,579,055	32,939,456	755,268	728,155
Leather ... ... „	19,396,619	...	1,660,787	1,503,167
Manures ... ... cwt.	403,966	448,431	174,389	199,046
Margarine ... ... lb.	16,627,959	17,615,391	551,014	554,028
Meat—Preserved in Tins ... ... „	4,251,040	4,185,438	172,627	162,408
Metal Works, Machinery, etc.—				
Agricultural Implements	...	...	454,740	379,828
Brass and Copper	...	...	2,023,779	1,592,193
Engineering	...	...	4,897,237	3,939,666
Ironworks and Foundries	...	...	12,378,380	10,213,855
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction ...	...	...	9,813,474	8,632,665
Wirework (including Nails)	...	...	3,232,736	2,262,949
Motor Vehicles and Accessories	...	...	3,672,553	3,459,180
Musical Instruments	...	...	997,111	767,686
Paints, Colours, and Varnishes	...	...	1,788,383	1,790,563
Papermaking, Paper Boxes, etc.	...	...	2,055,040	2,172,288
Pickles and Sauces ... ... pints.	10,419,549	7,549,486	528,713	387,323
Printing, Binding, and Newspapers ...	...	...	6,784,308	6,397,353
Rubber Manufactures and Repair Work...	...	...	3,149,467	2,630,231
Self-raising Flour ... ... lb.	25,636,004	26,735,004	294,093	318,767
Soap ... ... cwt.	483,531	410,248	1,152,735	1,002,605
Soap Extracts, Powders, etc. ... lb.	6,022,338	5,476,466	87,847	66,315
Sugar (the Produce of Cane) ... cwt.	339,078	391,366	364,175	471,920
Timber (Native)—				
Softwood ... ... sup. ft.	41,636,901	37,464,403	543,012	465,641
Hardwood ... ... „	94,414,153	81,556,393	1,112,247	934,322
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.—				
Tobacco ... ... lb.	10,134,242	10,386,232	3,064,680	3,414,110
Cigars ... ... „	86,057	77,596	95,005	84,132
Cigarettes ... ... „	5,117,501	5,151,766	1,695,618	1,902,012
Tweed and Cloth ... ... yards.	2,822,663	3,118,673	1,190,526	1,225,372
Wool, Scoured ... ... lb.	19,649,577	18,616,990	2,106,373	1,360,933
Other Manufactured Goods	...	...	65,385,492	59,656,171
Total Value of Goods Manufactured and other Work Done... ...	...	...	185,298,575	167,250,618

* Not available. † Gallons.

No. 28.—Value of Production—Recorded Industries—1920-1930.

All values are as at place of production.

(*In thousands*, 000 *omitted.*)

Year ended 30th June.	Primary Industries. Rural Industries (Farm Value). Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Dairying and Farmyard.	Total Rural Industries.	Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry (Value at Mine).	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing Industry. †	Total, Primary and Manufacturing Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	40,335	13,582	11,793	65,710	7,760	9,650	83,120	39,314	122,434
1921	20,336	32,373	16,447	69,156	4,089	10,192	83,437	43,128	126,565
1922	25,020	20,261	12,914	58,195	3,628	9,666	71,489	46,746	118,235
1923	36,783	21,301	13,445	71,529	4,810	10,419	86,758	51,596	138,354
1924	39,775	20,556	12,327	72,658	4,204	11,845	88,707	55,661	144,368
1925	46,028	28,785	14,336	89,149	5,039	11,785	105,973	59,044	165,017
1926	42,369	20,741	14,712	77,822	5,609	12,346*	95,777	64,838	160,615
1927	47,822	22,098	14,591	84,511	6,147	12,352*	103,010	69,849	172,859
1928	45,407	17,018	15,273	77,698	5,208	10,436*	93,342	71,805	165,147
1929	43,701	19,923	14,849	78,473	5,144	8,833*	92,450	73,627	166,077
1930	28,511	15,438	14,796	58,745	4,131	7,499*	70,375	66,848	137,223

* Excluding the output of quarries, valued at £979,000 in 1926, £1,521,500 in 1927, £1,500,000 in 1928, £1,409,000 in 1929, and to £945,060 in 1930.

† This item represents value added in process of manufacture, i.e., value of output at factory less value of material and fuel used.

No. 29.—New Buildings in Metropolis—Annually.

Year.	Buildings Completed and Assessed. No.	Cost of Buildings including additions to old Buildings.	Buildings for which Permission to Build was Granted. No.	Estimated Cost of New Buildings.	Estimated Cost of Alterations and Additions.	Estimated Total Cost of New Buildings and Alterations and Additions.
	No.	£	No.	£	£	£
1920	8,428	8,398,000	8,667	8,819,000	1,031,000	9,850,000
1921	6,964	8,626,000	5,567	6,405,000	1,220,000	7,625,000
1922	7,277	8,755,000	8,584	8,259,000	1,141,000	9,400,000
1923	8,516	8,976,000	11,011	9,845,000	1,107,000	10,952,000
1924	9,770	12,585,886	10,019	8,742,000	1,250,000	9,992,000
1925	8,658	10,157,045	10,802	9,088,000	1,158,000	10,246,000
1926	8,534	11,409,396	10,673	10,510,000	1,750,000	12,260,000
1927	8,366	12,346,186	9,038	11,278,000	1,914,000	13,192,000
1928	9,135	14,216,074	8,828	10,802,000	1,867,000	12,669,000
1929*	8,641	15,338,308	†8,285	†13,461,000	†2,282,000	†15,743,000
1930*	4,922	8,481,517	†2,360	†4,949,000	†972,000	†5,921,000

* Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta, previously excluded. List of municipalities included is shown in Table 31. † Since 1929, for the City of Sydney the number and value of buildings assessed by the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board have been used. The totals are not comparable with those of previous years.

No. 30.—Permits to Erect New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

Month.	1929. City of Sydney. Permits.*	Suburbs. Permits.	Suburbs. Estimated Value.	1930. City of Sydney. Permits.*	Suburbs. Permits.	Suburbs. Estimated Value.	1931. City of Sydney. Permits *	Suburbs. Permits.	Suburbs. Estimated Value.
			£			£			£
January	5	742	743,765	8	381	436,299	...	66	50,932
February	7	715	817,277	9	303	303,520	...	65	64,493
March	7	780	952,711	4	248	293,240	2	60	55,950
April	5	689	713,296	7	213	245,560	6	37	40,051
May	12	736	894,358	4	191	223,167	...	...	.....
June	6	671	772,378	3	146	132,089	...	..	.....
July	10	875	897,478	1	151	196,299	...	...	.....
August	2	752	838,037	1	127	172,146	...	...	.....
September	8	651	689,913	2	150	137,178	...	...	.....
October	5	635	697,673	...	81	88,276	...	...	.....
November	9	546	639,098	7	69	71,746	...	...	.....
December	2	342	414,022	...	69	56,533	...	...	.....
Total (twelve months)	78	8,134	9,070,006	46	2,129	2,356,053	†8	†228	†211,426

* New Buildings, City of Sydney—The values are not available. † Total for 4 months.

NOTE.—This table is exclusive of additions to existing buildings.

No. 31.—Permits for New Buildings in Metropolis.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings for which permits were issued in each Municipality, during the Three Months ended 31st March, 1930 and 1931.

Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st December, 1930.	New Buildings during January to March.				Alterations and Additions during January to March.			
		1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
		Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
			£		£		£		£
City of Sydney ...	109,500	21	*	2	*	227	*	154	*
Suburbs :									
North-western—									
Annandale ...	13,140	1	10,500	...	...	8	980	10	747
Balmain ...	33,240	5	2,650	4	800	40	3,545	12	532
Glebe	23,170	3	2,100	...	...	19	1,774	10	396
Leichhardt ...	31,470	4	8,000	6	3,200	32	3,813	20	5,761
West-central—									
Erskineville ...	7,620	...	...	...	...	2	560	...	...
Newtown ...	28,660	1	600	...	...	46	4,634	22	720
St. Peters ...	13,890	2	2,100	...	...	4	350	4	85
East-central—									
Alexandria ...	10,380	6	6,900	1	600	15	33,655	5	22,143
Botany ...	7,970	21	14,300	...	...	17	1,069	10	756
Darlington ...	3,660	...	...	1	95	6	3,195	5	1,650
Mascot ...	13,910	19	12,955	2	1,100	33	1,416	14	1,735
Redfern ...	24,160	1	10,500	2	870	14	6,040	5	427
Waterloo ...	12,920	7	5,395	...	...	21	6,160	9	11,475
Eastern—									
Paddington ...	27,080	3	6,456	...	...	30	11,228	13	1,155
Randwick ...	74,080	74	85,310	6	6,464	108	13,417	69	4,531
Vaucluse ...	7,400	7	7,835	3	5,070	15	3,186	17	1,080
Waverley ...	52,360	19	43,756	6	4,645	58	13,757	49	5,053
Woollahra ...	34,470	15	68,284	3	5,900	76	17,753	18	3,349
Western—									
Ashfield ...	39,780	16	15,773	3	2,445	104	7,824	63	2,766
Auburn ...	19,910	14	9,392	1	400	64	3,382	32	891
Burwood ...	19,550	16	16,240	1	750	50	5,764	32	1,439
Concord ...	22,430	17	22,607	1	900	49	5,259	40	1,422
Drummoyne ...	29,090	28	26,909	2	600	76	8,993	41	1,865
Enfield ...	14,020	14	29,445	...	...	25	1,910	18	795
Granville ...	19,230	25	14,822	3	1,300	37	1,613	20	506
Homebush ...	3,190	1	1,500	...	...	17	481	5	147
Lidcombe ...	15,740	15	9,455	4	12,420	21	900	13	3,186
Marrickville ...	46,590	13	9,100	7	4,950	33	4,322	25	4,670
Parramatta ...	17,710	15	13,255	1	400	20	4,225	16	980
Petersham ...	28,340	8	11,530	3	2,960	20	1,638	9	960
Strathfield ...	12,280	16	31,840	3	10,300	30	2,824	20	755
Southern—									
Bankstown ...	22,320	62	39,183	15	5,025	58	4,076	26	1,224
Bexley ...	20,360	11	8,800	8	6,100	50	3,080	28	995
Canterbury ...	73,860	120	99,366	14	7,420	175	9,983	120	4,662
Hurstville ...	21,700	34	25,951	14	8,750	41	3,280	23	2,890
Kogarah ...	29,700	50	47,422	4	2,575	71	3,346	46	1,891
Rockdale ...	37,640	40	31,117	18	11,960	82	7,864	68	15,028
Northern—									
Eastwood ...	2,960	3	2,350	...	...	10	488	5	85
Hunter's Hill	9,760	11	12,825	5	3,215	17	885	9	375
Kuring-gai ...	28,480	46	71,305	15	21,110	99	18,764	59	6,705
Lane Cove ...	14,900	21	19,700	3	2,700	37	3,128	25	1,120
Manly ...	26,230	23	44,755	5	4,000	47	6,566	22	1,542
Mosman ...	25,140	13	21,555	5	7,550	42	8,830	19	2,500
North Sydney	55,120	16	21,618	7	14,881	56	9,796	47	4,557
Ryde	26,030	56	46,201	8	5,492	73	3,589	43	1,878
Willoughby ...	42,420	40	41,402	7	4,428	97	9,096	49	2,531
Total (Suburbs)	1,144,060	932	1,033,059	191	171,375	2,045	268,438	1,215	129,960
Total (City of Sydney) ...	109,500	21	*	2	*	227	*	154	*
Total (Metropolis)	1,253,560	953	1,033,059	193	171,375	2,272	268,438	1,369	129,960

* Information not available.

Note.—For return of buildings erected during previous years see Table No. 29.

Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Country Municipalities prior to 1st January, 1929.

No. 32.—Permits to Erect New Buildings—Country Municipalities.

Municipality	Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to March, 1931. Permits.	Estimated Value.	Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to March, 1931. Permits.	Estimated Value.	Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to March, 1931. Permits.	Estimated Value.
		No.	£			No.	£			No.	£
Balance of Cumberland—				South Coast—				Central Western Slope—			
Cabramatta and Canley Vale.	4,820	23	3,258	Bega	2,020	2	620	Dubbo	6,180	4	975
Campbelltown...	2,740	...	...	Berry	2,580	1	600	Forbes	5,120	3	800
Castlereagh ...	660	...	...	Bowral ...	3,200	13	3,002	Molong ...	1,560	4	575
Dundas ...	5,600	3	2,250	Braidwood ...	1,110	...	...	Narromine ...	1,250	1	75
Ermington and Rydalmere.	2,230	...	...	Broughton Vale	250	...	...	Parkes	5,660	2	1,950
Fairfield ...	7,840	10	3,106	Camden ...	2,230	2	8,500	Peak Hill ...	1,090	2	935
Holroyd ...	14,850	7	3,295	Gerringong ...	730	1	550				
Ingleburn ...	1,560	4	1,535	Illawarra, Central	7,090	9	2,232				
Liverpool ...	6,240	2	450	Illawarra, North	6,650	1	440				
Penrith ...	4,150	1	120	Jamberoo ...	1,030	1	200				
Richmond ...	2,110	...	...	Kiama	2,080	1	450	South-Western Slope—			
St. Mary's ...	2,420	2	20,150	Mittagong ...	1,550	2	1,000	Albury	9,320	2	1,413
Windsor ...	3,360	4	2,000	Moss Vale ...	1,930	1	400	Burrowa ...	1,230	...	...
				Nowra	2,970	2	1,050	Cootamundra ...	4,280	2	3,550
North Coast—				Picton	1,020	...	...	Grenfell ...	2,190	1	700
Ballina ...	3,800	...	...	Shellharbour ...	1,660	3	760	Junee	2,980	...	...
Casino	4,090	19	9,247	Shoalhaven S'th	1,080	2	575	Murrumburrah	3,000	...	...
Coraki	1,280	...	...	Ulladulla ...	1,400	3	614	Temora ...	3,420	1	860
Grafton ...	4,900	4	2,730	Wollongong ...	10,130	2	10,060	Wagga Wagga	8,920	2	675
Grafton, South	2,050	3	2,190					Wallendbeen ...	730	...	...
Kempsey ...	3,660	2	850	Northern Tableland—				Wyalong ...	830	...	...
Lismore ...	10,370	6	4,125	Armidale ...	7,090	3	1,500	Young	3,870	2	2,100
Maclean ...	1,630	1	100	Glen Innes ...	4,680	...	...				
Mullumbimby ...	1,270	...	...	Inverell ...	5,390	5	2,050				
Murwillumbah	3,010	6	5,448	Tenterfield ...	2,710	1	400	North Central Plain—			
Ulmarra ...	2,240	1	300	Uralla	950	1	980	Moree	3,990	5	2,030
				Walcha ...	1,370	3	1,065	Narrabri ...	2,560	2	1,150
								Narrabri, West	1,010	...	...
				Central Tableland—							
Hunter and Manning—				Bathurst ...	9,690	...	...				
Newcastle City	14,070	2	4,903	Blackheath ...	2,520	2	450	Central Plain—			
Adamstown ...	4,920	...	...	Blayney ...	1,510	...	...	Condobolin ...	2,010	4	1,425
Carrington ...	3,160	1	240	Carcoar ...	430	...	...	Coonamble ...	2,380	2	750
Hamilton ...	21,500	2	2,066	Cowra	4,490	2	770	Nyngan ...	1,400	...	...
Lambton ...	6,120	2	645	Gulgong ...	1,470	...	...	Warren ...	1,320	...	...
Lambton, New	4,340	1	600	Katoomba ...	10,020	5	1,800				
Merewether ...	8,180	5	3,567	Lithgow ...	15,300	7	3,400				
Stockton ...	5,210	...	...	Mudgee ...	3,090	2	525				
Wallsend ...	7,370	5	2,280	Orange ...	8,590	1	560	Riverina—			
Waratah ...	17,660	3	2,020	Wellington ...	3,560	1	300	Corowa... ...	2,690	4	1,785
Wickham ...	11,640	...	...					Deniliquin ...	3,240	1	250
								Hay	2,720	2	3,030
Total, Newcastle and Suburbs.	104,170	21	16,321	Southern Tableland—				Hillston ...	960	1	250
				Bombala ...	1,000	2	500	Moama ...	640	...	...
				Cooma	1,920	2	1,050	Narrandera ...	3,670	2	1,000
Aberdeen ...	910	...	...	Goulburn ...	12,560	7	5,900				
Cessnock ...	13,930	2	330	Queanbeyan ...	3,840	2	700				
Dungog ...	1,730	...	...	Yass	2,830	...	...				
Greta	1,480	...	...					Western Division—			
Maitland, East...	4,090	1	600					Balranald ...	1,010	...	...
Maitland, West..	7,720	5	2,530					Bourke ...	1,670	...	...
Morpeth ...	1,070	...	...	North-Western Slope—				Brewarrina ...	680	1	280
Muswellbrook ...	2,640	1	952	Barraba ...	1,230	4	1,261	Broken Hill ...	22,990	1	80
Port Macquarie..	1,880	2	425	Bingara ...	1,060	...	...	Cobar	1,010	...	...
Raymond Terrace.	870	...	...	Gunnedah ...	2,720	6	3,850	Wentworth ...	870	...	...
Scone	1,990	...	...	Manilla... ...	1,460	...	...	Wilcannia ...	450	...	...
Singleton ...	3,420	3	1,375	Murrurundi ...	1,320	...	...				
Taree	2,440	3	1,400	Quirindi ...	2,460	...	...	Total, Country Municipalities.	538,960	297	173,473
Wingham ...	1,180	4	1,994	Tamworth ...	7,690	4	1,640				

No. 33.—Country Municipalities—Permits to Erect New Buildings during 1921–31.

Year.	New Buildings. Permits.	Estimated Value.	Year.	New Buildings. Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£			£
1921	3,131	1,979,109	1927	6,463	4,647,941
1922	4,629	2,678,399	1928	5,801	4,391,344
1923	6,026	3,759,126	1929	4,375	3,775,862
1924	6,008	3,747,801	1930	1,945	1,495,793
1925	7,338	4,312,921	1931 (Jan.–Mar.)	297	173,473
1926	7,818	4,438,697			

Note.—Exclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Metropolis from 1st January, 1929.

No. 34.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1925-26 to 1929-30.

Classification.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.
REVENUE.	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental—					
Commonwealth per capita payment ... £	2,853,850	2,917,411	2,978,343	2,856,479	2,917,411
Taxation—State ... ... £	†8,850,877	†11,930,050	†10,725,257	†11,841,136	†11,454,307
Land—Alienation	1,077,381	1,043,388	1,102,858	1,139,930	1,021,697
Revenue	1,049,038	1,166,889	1,173,464	1,104,641	967,929
Total Land ... ... £	2,126,419	2,210,277	2,276,322	2,244,571	1,989,626
Services (other than Business Undertakings)...	1,265,654	1,349,554	1,399,083	1,584,020	1,684,005
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,147,250	1,353,512	1,507,116	2,173,978	1,705,452
Industrial Undertakings	5,657	6,195	5,322	3,756	.....
Total Governmental ... £	16,249,707	19,796,999	18,891,443	20,703,940	19,750,801
Business Undertakings—					
Railways and Tramways	20,985,362	22,980,486	23,894,940	24,873,506*a*	22,530,162*a*
Sydney Harbour Trust	1,015,877	1,083,856	1,078,293	1,103,598*a*	1,017,934*a*
Metropolitan Board of Water and Sewerage ...	.....	.....	.....	2,716,184*a*	2,753,690*a*
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	232,218	245,776	294,306	306,911*a*	311,631*a*
Total Business Undertakings £	22,233,457	24,310,118	25,267,539	29,000,199*a*	26,613,417*a*
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, etc.) ...	56,867	42,449	39,990	.....	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund £	38,540,031	44,149,566	44,198,972	*20,703,940	*19,750,801
Motor Tax and Motor Licenses	*897,664*	*644,278*	*1,330,399*	*1,537,598*	*1,340,670*
Metropolitan Board of Water and Sewerage ...	*2,131,471*	*2,266,909*	*2,468,001*	See above.	See above.
Gross Total ... ... £	*41,569,166*	*47,060,753*	*47,997,372*	*51,241,737*	*47,704,888*
Contribution to Railways (duplicated above) ...	.....	.....	.....	*800,000*	*800,000*
Net Total	*41,569,166*	*47,060,753*	*47,997,372*	*50,441,737*	*46,904,888*
EXPENDITURE.					
Governmental—					
Interest on Public Debt and Special Deposits...	2,977,517	3,100,335	3,774,872	3,377,649	3,559,870
Transfer to Public Works Fund	364,470	376,628	390,047	.....	.....
Departments—					
Premier	73,658	122,370	136,747	262,196	249,715
Chief Secretary and Health (incl. Lunacy)...	2,967,648	3,046,290	3,395,244	3,756,245	3,944,779
Treasurer (ex. Business Undertakings, and Interest on Deposits, etc.)	1,038,134	1,044,481	1,103,556	2,069,134	2,424,374
Attorney-General and Justice	709,565	748,121	652,142	873,788	867,429
Lands (incl. Forests 1925 to 1927)	542,744	545,924	467,770	466,834	459,602
Public Works (ex. Business Undertakings)...	724,365	803,280	787,277	700,547	685,999
Public Instruction (ex. Endowments, etc.)...	4,364,431	4,607,571	4,846,451	5,130,684	5,244,602
Labour and Industry...	110,571	389,165	140,229	112,646	105,582
Mines (incl. Forests 1928 to 1930)	112,904	105,525	182,626	186,143	192,302
Agriculture	586,983	587,728	601,280	737,002	747,239
Local Government—					
Administration, etc.	47,884	56,392	62,044	66,355	351,939
Endowments and Grants	274,886	157,778	372,725	336,734	
All other Services	1,485,713	1,832,489	2,133,878	2,034,814	2,296,632
Total, Governmental	16,381,473	17,524,077	19,046,888	20,110,771	21,130,064
Business Undertakings, incl. Interest on Capital—					
Railways and Tramways	22,200,838	23,855,608	25,038,963	25,922,235*a*	25,671,780*a*
Water Supply and Sewerage	175,704	202,881	224,709	296,164*a*	306,357*a*
Sydney Harbour Trust	794,106	824,885	875,058	983,104*a*	1,011,227*a*
Total, Business Undertakings £	23,170,648	24,883,374	26,138,730	27,201,503*a*	26,989,364*a*
Grants to Public Works Fund	200,000	225,000	60,000	.....	.....
Other Payments (Advances made, etc.) ...	62,214	58,183	48,350	.....	.....
Total, Consolidated Revenue Fund £	39,814,335	42,690,634	45,293,968	*20,110,771	*21,130,064
Metropolitan Water Board—Working Expenses	**908,401	**946,504	**1,033,396	**966,933	**1,057,670
„ „ *Interest on Capital*‡	‡1,200,000	‡1,200,000	‡1,200,000	‡1,250,000	‡1,250,000
Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Board ...	*897,664*	*644,278*	*1,330,399*	*1,537,598*	*1,340,670*
Gross Total	*42,820,400*	*45,481,416*	*48,857,763*	*51,066,805*	*51,767,768*
Contribution to Railways (duplicated above) ...	.....	.....	.....	*800,000*	*800,000*
Net Total	*42,820,400*	*45,481,416*	*48,857,763*	*50,266,805*	*50,967,768*

** Including Sinking Fund and Renewals. † Exclusive of Motor Tax and Motor License Fees paid to Main Roads Board (see below) and of costs of collection included below under Services. ‡ Exclusive of interest paid to Consolidated Revenue Account, £49,847 in 1925-26, £211,107 in 1926-27, £193,803 in 1927-28, £185,079 in 1928-29 and £313,125 in 1929-30. * Totals not comparable with previous years. Metropolitan Water Board excluded from Consolidated Revenue from 1-4-25; other Business Undertakings from 1-7-28. *a* Not included in total Consolidated Revenue.

No. 35.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1920-30.

Governmental.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.										Expenditure.								
	Taxation. *			Returned by Commonwealth			Land Revenue.			Other Revenue.	Total.			Public Instruction, excluding Endowments.			Interest and Sinking Funds.			Other Services.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s. d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1920	2	8	8	1	4	3	0	18	10	13 1	5	4	10	1	4	6	0	10	6	4	3	8	5	18	8
1921	3	10	9	1	4	3	1	0	7	14 3	6	9	10	1	15	4	0	15	8	4	3	1	6	14	1
1922	3	8	2	1	4	9	0	18	10	18 11	6	10	8	1	18	4	0	15	1	4	10	4	7	3	9
1923	3	11	9	1	4	9	0	17	8	18 3	6	12	5	1	16	3	0	16	10	3	16	6	6	9	7
1924	3	12	4	1	4	9	0	17	6	20 2	6	14	9	1	16	3	1	0	3	4	1	2	6	17	8
1925	3	12	0	1	4	10	0	18	2	21 0	6	16	0	1	17	5	1	9	7	4	3	1	7	10	1
1926	3	17	0	1	4	10	0	18	6	21 7	7	1	11	1	18	10	1	6	0	4	0	0	7	4	10
1927	5	1	8	1	4	10	0	18	10	23 8	8	9	0	1	19	3	1	6	9	4	5	8	7	11	8
1928	4	9	4	1	4	10	0	18	11	24 7	7	17	8	2	0	5	1	11	5	4	7	9	7	19	7
1929	4	16	9	1	3	4	0	18	4	30 9	8	9	2	2	1	11	1	7	7	4	14	10	8	4	4
1930	4	12	6	1	3	7	0	16	0	27 4	7	19	5	2	2	4	1	8	9	4	19	6	8	10	7

* In 1925 and later years Motor Tax and Traffic Licenses, less cost of collection, &c, were transferred to Special Deposits Account—Main Roads Account.

No. 36.—Consolidated Revenue Fund, N.S.W.—Revenue and Expenditure—July to March, 1929-30 and 1930-31.

Head of Revenue.	July to March. 1929-30.	July to March. 1930-31.	Increase or Decrease(-)
Governmental—	£	£	£
Contributions by Commonwealth under States Grants Act	2,188,062	1,944,944	(—) 243,118
Taxation (by State)	6,321,700	6,608,763	287,063
Land Revenue	943,237	808,981	(—) 134,256
Receipts for Services Rendered	1,053,926	1,220,117	166,191
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,019,941	967,047	(—) 52,894
Gross Total	11,526,866	11,549,852	22,986
Refunds	175,383	224,682	49,299
Net Total (Governmental)	11,351,483	11,325,170	(—) 26,313
Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund—			
Sale of Crown Lands	459,578	350,945	(—) 108,633
Royalties on Minerals	135,838	117,906	(—) 17,932
Royalties, etc., on Timber	46,986	23,430	(—) 23,556
Sales of Property	9,964	3,353	(—) 6,611
Other Receipts	12,599	3,365	(—) 9,234
Gross Total	664,965	498,999	(—) 165,966
Refunds	48	6	42
Net Total (Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund) ...	664,917	498,993	(—) 165,924
Grand Total ... £	**12,016,400**	**11,824,163**	(—) **192,237**

Head of Expenditure.	July to March. 1929-30.	July to March. 1930-31.	Increase or Decrease (-)
	£	£	£
Governmental	11,954,306	11,394,771	(—) 559,535
Interest	3,502,187	4,417,244	915,057
Total ... ... £	**15,456,493**	**15,812,015**	**355,522**

No. 37.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, N.S.W., 1920-30.

Year ended 30th June.	Funded Debt at end of Year.		Total Interest Payable.	Net Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
	Total (in thousands 000 omitted).	Per Head of Population.		Railways and Tramways	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation and Irrigation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, etc.).	Other Works and Services.	Total.**
	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	152,776	73 16 10	6,563,940	2,589,955	2,041,122	444,008	3,718,920	8,794,905
1921	164,336	78 2 5	7,273,902	4,025,038	2,854,495	659,863	7,161,632	14,701,028
1922	176,674	82 3 9	8,118,430	4,789,517	2,744,691	676,642	2,231,882	10,442,732
1923	183,571	83 15 8	8,535,650	4,669,285	2,850,639	451,279	1,822,816	9,794,019
1924	*194,075	87 2 2	9,976,809	3,652,814	2,790,223	379,524	912,919	7,735,480
1925	201,702	88 14 4	9,835,863	4,674,092	2,462,722	615,793	1,423,079	9,175,686
1926	209,793	90 9 1	10,327,519	6,335,943	1,959,255	575,556	2,309,728	11,180,482
1927	†227,724	95 19 11	11,215,341	6,380,610	1,105,618	486,755	2,449,287	10,422,270
1928	245,248	101 3 0	12,122,008	8,335,802	1,710,702	556,011	3,805,104	14,407,619
1929	256,792	104 4 4	12,722,598	6,356,233	1,414,900	851,270	5,626,670	14,249,082
1930	**259,590**	**104 7 9**	**12,817,161**	**5,081,516**	**1,725,524**	**396,359**	**3,675,228**	**10,878,627**
1930‡	270,908	108 18 9	13,484,123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

The debt shown is inclusive of Closer Settlement Debentures, which amounted to £1,170,450 at 30th June, 1930.

*Excluding £16,419,003 raised for renewal of loans which fell due in October, 1924. †Excluding £10,885,149, proceeds of conversion loans outstanding, but not credited to loan account. ‡Total Loan liability to Commonwealth.

** Exclusive of Redemptions of Loans but inclusive of Redemptions of Closer Settlement Debentures £850,000 in 1925-6, £494,767 in 1926-7, £650,200 in 1928-9 and £606,100 in 1929-30.

No. 38.—Net Public Debt of New South Wales as at 30th June, 1930 (as defined by the Commonwealth Financial Agreement).

Register.	Amount of Debt.	Proportion on each Register.	Annual Amount of Interest Payable.	Average Nominal Rate of Interest Payable.
	£	per cent.	£	per cent.
Australia	100,233,116	37·00	5,343,585	5·33
London	156,729,300	57·85	7,462,871*	4·76
New York	13,945,628	5·15	677,667*	4·86
Total	270,908,044	100·00	13,484,123	4·98

*Payable in English and American currency respectively, cost of exchange is not included.

Note.—Including Floating Debt on Loan Account and Closer Settlement Debentures, external to the Commonwealth Financial Agreement, the total Public Debt of New South Wales at 30th June, 1930, was: £276,209,412.

No. 39.—Due Dates of New South Wales Loans Maturing prior to 31st December, 1932.

Latest Date of Maturity.	Amount of Loan.	Rate of Interest.
	£	per cent.
Repayable in Australia.		
10 August, 1931	746,228	5½
10 August, 1931	3,333,442	5½
1 March, 1932...	86,132	5¼
1 March, 1932...	954,800	5½
10 May, 1932	109,839	5¼
26 May, 1932	117,337	5½
15 June, 1932	135,466	5½
1 July, 1932	359,362	5½
29 August, 1932	50,000	5¼
1 September, 1932	150,000	5¼
1 November, 1932	150,000	5¼
1 November, 1932	83,096	5¾
20 December, 1932	375,458	5¼
Repayable in London.		
1 November, 1932	12,992,904	5¾

No. 40.—Trading Banks.

(*a*) Average Liabilities in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	All other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest. *	Total. *			
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	73,266	960,586	52,878,126	50,495,134	103,373,260	1,601,687	...	106,008,799
1921	71,654	979,076	53,044,965	54,631,451	107,676,416	2,682,336	...	111,409,482
1922	68,953	969,186	52,276,678	54,086,297	106,362,975	1,541,923	...	108,943,037
1923	67,556	1,046,579	54,005,932	62,163,919	116,169,851	1,050,955	...	118,334,941
1924	66,580	1,103,220	53,655,365	58,164,886	111,820,251	1,328,516	...	114,318,567
1925	65,724	1,206,787	55,771,102	65,139,919	120,911,021	2,587,518	368,497	125,139,547
1926	64,990	1,354,516	59,255,212	70,956,687	130,211,899	3,628,290	349,669	135,609,364
1927	64,681	1,331,637	56,468,226	76,067,917	132,536,143	3,479,900	313,034	137,725,395
1928	64,398	1,598,580	55,357,004	83,155,876	138,512,880	4,153,823	298,071	144,627,752
1929	64,115	1,746,319	56,283,642	†78,040,307	†134,323,949	4,807,230	292,315	†141,233,928
1930	**63,870**	**1,479,146**	**48,287,572**	**†82,130,753**	**†130,418,325**	**7,715,033**	**314,970**	**†139,991,344**
Mar. Qr. 1931	**63,370**	**1,263,301**	**42,182,117**	**†82,112,901**	**†124,295,018**	**7,812,403**	**304,804**	**†133,738,896**
Mar. Qr. 1930	63,909	1,571,382	49,912,430	†80,334,897	†130,247,327	5,613,986	326,275	†137,822,879

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 42. The amount so included on 30th September, 1927, was £10,492,524, and on 30th June, 1928, £10,434,395. Interest is not paid on the whole of these amounts.

† Commonwealth Bank Savings Bank deposits excluded since 1928.

Note.—There are 16 Trading Banks in New South Wales, with 1,161 offices in the State, and 7 in the Federal Capital Territory.

(*b*) Trading Banks—Assets in New South Wales.

Quarter ended	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes. *	Landed and House Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Government and Municipal Securities Advances and all other Assets.	Total Assets.
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	10,111,791	340,735	13,032,195	2,477,601	892,521	3,354,448	89,063,144	119,272,435
1921	9,791,211	360,738	11,812,417	2,573,628	673,740	2,512,885	104,709,314	132,433,933
1922	10,282,955	335,043	10,176,664	2,620,237	792,442	2,832,745	98,335,071	125,375,157
1923	9,917,391	362,257	10,055,027	2,780,285	857,716	2,856,046	113,053,795	139,882,517
1924	11,321,692	389,420	12,111,578	2,960,035	887,317	4,117,438	112,873,479	144,660,959
1925	13,325,015	3,352,615	13,409,010	3,026,704	915,855	3,449,510	111,475,369	148,954,078
1926	16,336,946	74,851	14,362,800	3,112,343	984,258	2,939,786	123,950,187	161,761,171
1927	12,238,342	5,455	10,762,818	3,025,719	1,426,517	3,386,552	135,439,590	166,284,993
1928	12,126,723	5,425	10,374,870	2,987,197	1,394,478	3,362,486	140,690,523	170,941,702
1929	11,978,374	5,746	11,046,465	3,187,582	705,074	3,082,901	143,822,569	173,828,711
1930	**2,249,926**	**4,873**	**15,767,082**	**3,472,418**	**623,404**	**4,889,830**	**151,023,652**	**178,031,185**
Mar. Qr. 1931	1,073,889	354	17,097,036	3,546,169	469,987	3,448,039	†139,373,920	165,009,394
Mar. Qr. 1930	7,742,544	9,700	13,789,741	3,386,521	631,719	3,221,378	†152,102,604	180,884,207

* Since December, 1924, includes coin with Commonwealth Bank. † Includes £8,315,489 short term loans in Australia.

No. 41.—Trading Banks' Inter-Bank Clearings, Sydney.

Year ended 31st December...	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.
	£1,034,894,890	£1,033,511,119	£1,043,324,613	£893,158,894

Month, 1929.	£	Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1931.	£
July ...	88,823,041	January ...	78,233,620	July ...	73,741,830	January ...	81,455,295
August ...	84,665,804	February...	75,504,391	August ...	58,386,051	February...	73,129,904
September	78,677,624	March ...	83,742,801	September	61,736,227	March ...	83,742,511
October ...	89,076,494	April ...	68,572,063	October ...	76,757,220	April ...	76,173,582
November	85,522,501	May ...	76,684,746	November	69,485,906	May ...	67,844,230
December	88,852,189	June ...	71,690,087	December	98,623,952		
	515,017,653		454,427,708		438,731,186		

NOTE.—These totals represent the amount of cheques drawn on a bank other than the bank in which they are deposited. Net balances of country settlements are included.

No. 42.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Accounts on 30th June.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June	Increase in Deposits during year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Account	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920	898,114	49,951,362	2,866,124	55 11 3	24 3 0
1921	955,931	57,412,638	7,461,276	60 0 2	27 5 10
1922	1,000,958	61,808,882	4,396,244	61 7 10	28 15 1
1923	1,057,941	64,341,246	2,532,364	60 15 5	29 7 4
1924	1,108,131	66,174,117	1,832,871	59 13 5	29 14 1
1925	1,157,850	69,149,433	2,975,316	57 18 7	30 8 5
1926	1,215,917	73,807,651	4,658,218	60 12 3	31 16 8
1927	1,282,682	78,351,733	4,544,082	60 19 5	33 0 7
1928	1,337,492	81,627,667	3,275,934	60 17 10	33 13 4
1929	1,379,126	85,727,514	4,099,847	61 19 4	34 15 10
1930	1,409,099	82,465,430	(—)3,262,084	58 6 0	33 3 3
30th Sept., 1930	1,410,840	78,552,912	(—) 3,912,518†	55 8 10	31 9 8
31st Dec., 1930	1,403,730	73,406,775	(—) 5,146,137†	52 1 10	29 6 9
31st Mar., 1931	1,400,216	70,773,167	(—) 2,633,608†	50 6 11	28 4 10

NOTE.—"Number of Accounts" in the above table excludes throughout small balance accounts, viz.:—Inoperative (under £1), Special Thrift, and School. These accounts numbered at 31st March, 1931, 304,692, 13,704, and 143,414, respectively, and the amounts at credit were, £57,528, £36,891 and £183,565, included in "Amount of Deposits."

(—) Denotes decrease. † Decrease during quarter.

No. 43.—Real Estate Transactions.—New South Wales.

Month.	Amount of Sales.		Amount of Mortgages.	
	1930.	1931.	1930.	1931.
	£	£	£	£
January	3,154,591	796,797	4,329,386	1,746,684
February	3,211,840	1,576,684	3,574,626	2,156,627
March	2,953,980	1,262,543	3,966,371	1,963,028
April	2,596,755	1,030,179	3,518,947	1,888,950
May	2,800,000*	.....	3,204,768	.....
June	886,246	.....	1,360,328	.....
July	2,473,593	.....	3,281,917	.....
August	2,056,853	.....	2,329,981	.....
September	1,629,666	.....	2,225,176	.....
October	1,589,772	.....	2,789,643	.....
November	1,511,956	.....	2,219,444	.....
December	1,244,669	.....	2,237,199	.....
Year	26,109,921*	.....	35,037,786	.....
Four months ended 30th April	11,917,166	4,666,203	15,389,330	7,755,289

* Approximate.

No. 44.—Liens on Crops and Wool.

Month.	Crop Liens.				Wool Liens.			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.
		£		£	No.	£	No.	£
January	859	294,079	1,001	439,908	444,665	123,923	863,964	224,243
February ...	1,813	727,731	1,772	746,354	544,026	181,915	907,254	324,632
March	1,716	673,835	1,972	913,353	810,839	337,673	1,691,564	483,799
April	1,831	642,226	1,606	684,361	807,630	297,222	1,695,692	772,503
May	1,822	571,848	...	...	1,716,035	587,493	...	...
June	1,294	448,562	...	...	1,614,314	660,372	...	...
July	1,316	442,593	...	...	1,315,283	407,799	...	...
August	892	315,289	...	...	694,642	191,434	...	...
September ...	797	215,738	...	...	541,919	104,059	...	...
October	707	180,564	...	...	355,984	220,333	...	...
November ...	511	141,475	...	...	279,528	70,053	...	...
December ...	349	83,292	...	...	518,498	97,673	...	...
Year	13,907	4,737,232	...	...	9,643,363	3,279,949	...	...
Four months ended 30th April ...	6,219	2,337,871	6,351	2,783,976	2,607,160	940,733	5,158,474	1,805,177

No. 45.—Mortgages on Live Stock.

Month.	1930.				1931.			
	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.
	No.	No.	No.	£	No.	No.	No.	£
January	436,733	5,847	864	127,134	773,708	10,073	1,531	214,552
February	448,706	8,140	1,339	257,536	767,154	7,627	2,170	324,326
March	614,390	8,222	1,373	317,068	1,519,248	17,520	4,277	384,082
April	625,039	5,309	1,709	236,108	1,121,533	9,482	2,667	271,176
May	669,780	10,860	3,054	300,459	...	...	...	...
June	801,842	10,404	2,852	503,191	...	...	...	...
July	865,313	9,282	2,300	376,231	...	...	...	...
August	513,737	9,777	1,197	279,415	...	...	...	...
September	337,334	5,992	1,113	186,869	...	...	...	...
October	368,000	8,669	1,351	252,123	...	...	...	...
November	250,776	5,957	1,091	113,906	...	...	...	...
December	548,106	9,882	1,503	187,044	...	...	...	...
Year	6,479,756	98,341	19,746	3,137,084	...	...	...	...
Four months ended 30th April ...	2,124,868	27,518	5,285	937,846	4,181,643	44,702	10,645	1,194,136

* Some of these sheep are also subject to liens for wool, and are included in table 44.

No. 46.—Bankruptcies, Etc., in New South Wales—Sequestrations and Deeds of Arrangement (Parts XI and XII of Act).

Month.	1929–30.		1930–31.	
	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.
		£		£
July	76	86,589	94	243,619
August	73	93,887	133	215,371
September	71	84,351	150	337,738
October	80	93,039	148	279,282
November	70	102,170	128	211,160
December	80	175,449	121	277,982
January	48	60,262	110	183,491
February	65	63,381	136	269,870
March	101	172,860	137	245,682
April	117	284,925	122	265,013
May	122	231,599	...	.....
June	124	308,523	...	.....
Year ended 30th June ...	1,027	1,757,035	...	.....
Total for ten months ended 30th April	781	1,204,202	1,279	2,529,208

No. 47.—Unemployment in New South Wales.

(*a*) Total number unemployed according to monthly estimates made by Director of Labour Exchange.

Month.	Metropolis.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	1929.	1930.	1931.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1929.	1930.	1931.
January ...	9,000	19,000	65,000	4,000	16,000	30,000	13,000	35,000	95,000
February ..	11,000	23,000	70,000	6,000	17,000	30,000	17,000	40,000	100,000
March ...	11,500	25,000	75,000	14,500	20,000	35,000	26,000	45,000	110,000
April ...	14,500	28,000	75,000	14,000	22,000	40,000	28,500	50,000	115,000
May ...	14,000	30,000	...	14,000	22,000	...	28,000	52,000	...
June ...	13,500	35,000	...	14,000	20,000	...	27,500	55,000	...
July ...	15,000	40,000	...	14,000	25,000	...	29,000	65,000	...
August ...	14,500	40,000	...	14,500	20,000	...	29,000	60,000	...
September	15,000	50,000	...	15,000	25,000	...	30,000	75,000	...
October ...	16,000	60,000	...	16,000	30,000	...	32,000	90,000	...
November	14,000	60,000	...	16,000	30,000	...	30,000	90,000	...
December	10,000	55,000	...	14,000	25,000	...	24,000	80,000	...

(*b*) Estimated proportion per cent. of unemployed members in unions supplying reports.

(The returns relate to the middle week of each quarter, and are as compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

Quarter Ended.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
March	11·8	9·7	16·3	29·2
June	10·9	10·0	21·0	.....
September ...	11·9	12·4	23·3	.....
December ...	10·6	13·8	26·3	.....

NOTE.—The averages for the other States in March quarter, 1931, were :—Victoria 24·4; Queensland, 14·1; South Australia, 30·6; Western Australia, 26·1; Tasmania, 26·6; and Commonwealth, 25·8 per cent.

No. 48.—Living Wage for Adult Employees*—New South Wales (State) Awards.

Date of Declaration.	Male.	Female.
Oct., 1920, for males; Dec., 1920, for females	85/- per week	43/- per week
8th Oct., 1921, for males; 22nd Dec., 1921, for females	82/- per week	41/- per week
12th May, 1922, and 29th Sept., 1922, for males ...	78/- per week	
9th Oct., 1922, for females		39/6 per week
10th April, 1923, for males and females	79/- per week	40/- per week
7th Sept., 1923, and 7th March, 1924, for males and females	82/- per week	41/6 per week
24th August, 1925, for males and females	84/- per week	42/6 per week
15th December, 1926, for males	84/- per week	
27th June, 1927, for males and females	85/- per week	46/- per week
20th December, 1929, for males and females	82/6 per week	44/6 per week

* Declarations of the basic wage for men prior to 1927 were fixed on the basis of a man, wife, and two children; that of June, 1927, was for man and wife only; and that of December, 1929, was for man, wife, and one child. Family endowment was introduced in 1927.

NOTE.—Current Living Wage rates of State Tribunals in other States in May, 1931, were :—Brisbane, 74s.; Adelaide, 75s.; Perth, 78s. In Melbourne and Hobart the Harvester Wage equivalent (as shown in footnote to Table 49) is generally applied.

No. 49.—"Harvester Wage" (New South Wales) adjusted according to Quarterly Index Numbers of Food, Groceries and Housing (all Houses) plus 3s. per week.

(Basic Rates upon which Federal Awards are usually varied.)

Date.	1929.		1930.		1931.	
	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Sydney.	Newcastle.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1 February ...	4 11 0	4 5 0	4 15 6	4 8 0	4 5 0	3 18 6
1 May	4 15 0	4 8 6	4 12 0	4 5 0	4 2 6	3 17 6
1 August	4 14 6	4 7 6	4 11 0	4 4 0	.....	.....
1 November ...	4 15 0	4 7 6	4 8 0	4 2 0	.....	.....

NOTE.—The corresponding rates in the various capital cities on the 1st May, 1931, were :—Melbourne, £3 16s.; Brisbane, £3 7s. 6d.; Adelaide, £3 11s. 6d.; Perth, £3 14s.; Hobart, £3 16s. 6d. (b) Wages in Federal Awards (with some special exceptions) are subject to an Order of the Full Court reducing them by 10 per cent. for one year from 1st February, 1931. This reduction has not been applied in calculating the rates shown in this table and footnote.

No. 50.—Rates of Wages, March, 1931.

Aerated Water Factory Employees—Adult males, 89/6 (General) to 108/6 (Cordial Maker) per week; adult females, 46/- per week.

Bakers (Bread)—128/6 to 138/6 per week; (Biscuit Factories), 106/- per week.

*Blacksmiths, 99/- per week.

*Boilermakers, 98/2 per week.

Bookbinders, 106/- per week.

Boot and Shoe makers—Male, 93/- per week; females, 42/6 to 55/6; or piece-work.

*Brass Finishers (General), 90/11 per week; (Engineering), 98/2 per week.

Bread-carters, 108/6 per week.

Bricklayers, 3/- per hour.

Brick-carters—1 horse, 91/-; 2 horses, 101/- per week. 4/- per week extra for each additional horse. 1 ton motor waggon drivers, 98/6 per week, with 5/- per week for each additional ton.

Brickmakers—

Burners, 2/3 9/22 per hour; Machine Men, 2/2 7/22 per hour; setter, 2/3 9/22 per hour; Pitmen, 2/2 1/22 9/22 per hour.

Brushmakers—Male, 2/7 3/44 per hour or 109/6 per week; females, 1/3 1/2 3/22 per hour or 53/- per week; or piece-work rates.

Butchers—Shopman, 102/- and 109/6; carter, 92/-.

„ Slaughtermen—Mutton, 44/1½ per 100; Beef, 8/12/6 per week.; Pork, 6/13/6 per week.

*Carpenters and Joiners, 2/5 per hour; State Award, 2/10 1/11 per hour.

Cabinetmakers, 98/6 and 108/6 per week.

Carpet and linoleum layers 107/6 per week.

Cigarmakers, 97/- per week; 1/5 to 12/4½ per 100 according to shape.

Clerks—Males, 82/6 to 90/-; females, 46/9 to 51/9 per week.

„ Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 26/- to 90/-; females, 23/9 to 51/9 per week.

„ Solicitors (under 16 to 23 years)—Males 20/- to 100/- per week; females 12/- to 60/-.

„ Wholesale Hardware, General Merchants, and Importers—Males (Ledger-keepers and Cashiers) 102/6 per week; junior (under 16 to 23 years), 19/11 to 97/6; females, 20/4 to 58/6. Typistes, and or Stenographers (females), 23 years and over, 64/6 and 66/- per week.

„ *Permanent Wharf—72/6 to 82/6 per week.

„ Casual Wharf—2/5 per hour.

„ Office Assistants (Retail Shops)—Males 85/6 to 107/6 per week; females, 47/- to 60/6.

Coach-painters, 107/- per week } Road.
Coach-smiths, 107/- per week }

* Commonwealth Award.

No. 50—Rates of Wages, March, 1931—*continued.*

Coal lumpers, 2/7½ per hour, day work; 3/9¼ per hour, night work.

Compositors (hand)—Journeymen, 106/- per week, 12/- extra for night work.
" (machine)—118/- per week; 12/- extra for night work.
" " Piece-work.—5d. per 1000 ens (day); 5½d. per 1000 ens (night). less 4/- per week basic wage decrease and less 10 per cent. of remaining earnings.

*Coopers, 98/2 per week.

*Coppersmiths, 99/- per week.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

*Dressmakers, 52/3, White-workers, 47/3; Milliners—Machinists, 45/6 per week.

Electricians—Mechanics, 2/8$\frac{1}{22}$ per hour; Fitters, 2/9$\frac{14}{22}$ per hour.

Engine-drivers, 91/5 to 112/9 per week; Firemen, 88/9 to 91/9 per week.

*Engineering, Machinists, 87/4 to 98/2 per week.

Farriers—Firemen, 111/- per week.
" Floormen, 106/- per week.

French-polishers—98/6 and 108/6 per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers, 103/6 to 113/6 per week.

Hotel Employees—

Cooks (male), 92/6 to 197/6 per week.
Cooks (female), 58/6 to 121/6 per week.
Waiters, 84/6 per week.
Waitresses, 54/6 per week.
Barmen, 94/6 per week.
Barmaids, 70/- per week.
Storemen, 97/6 per week.
Kitchenmen, 84/6 and 90/6 per week.

Hotel employees provided with board to receive 16/6 per week less than wages prescribed.

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

*Jam Factory Workers—

Males, 78/9 to 102/2 per week.
Females, 41/- to 57/2 per week.

Labourers—Builders', 2/2½; General, 2/1$\frac{10}{11}$ to 2/8$\frac{3}{11}$ per hour.

Letter-press Machinists, 106/- per week.

Lithographers, 106/- per week.

*Moulders, 98/2 per week.

Painters (General), 2/7$\frac{13}{22}$ per hour.

*Patternmakers, 106/3 per week.

Plasterers, 3/- and 3/1½ per hour.

Plumbers, 2/10$\frac{15}{22}$ per hour.

Quarrymen (Sandstone), 2/6$\frac{7}{22}$ and 2/9$\frac{3}{10}$ per hour.

Roofing Tile Makers—Burners, 17/11$\frac{8}{11}$ per shift Machine Men, 2/2$\frac{19}{22}$ per hour; Setter, 2/3$\frac{13}{22}$ per hour; Pitmen, 2/3$\frac{3}{22}$ per hour.

*Saw-mill Employees—Machinists, 79/3 to 95/5; Saw Sharpeners, 90/-; Sawyers, 79/3 to 98/2 per week.

Sheet Metal Workers, 2/0$\frac{3}{22}$ to 2/7$\frac{10}{11}$ per hour.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers—Males, 85/6 to 95/-; females, 57/- to 62/-, according to age. Tobacconists—Males, 85/6 to 91/-; females, 47/- to 59/-, according to age. Drapers, Ironmongers, etc., adults—Males, 85/6 to 100/- per week; females, 46/- to 58/- per week.

Slaters, 2/10½$\frac{3}{2}$ per hour.

Stone-masons, 3/3 per hour.

Storemen, per week—Wharf, 96/6; Hardware, 90/6 to 122/6; Packers, 93/6 to 95/6; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/6; Packers, 93/6 to 120/6; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 91/- to 98/6; Packers, 88/- to 100/-; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 117/-; Packers, 92/- to 117/-; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/-; Packers, 92/- to 120/-; Storemen, n.e.i. 92/- to 103/6; Packers, n.e.i. 93/6 to 106/-; Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores Storemen and Packers—92/6 to 113/6 per week. Retail Stores—Storemen and Packers, 92/- to 101/-. Oil and Colour Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 96/6 to 109/-; Bonded and Free Stores—Storemen and Packers, 97/6 per week.

*Tailors—Journeymen, 92/9 per week.
" Cutters—Men's Garments—95/5 to 101/9 per week.
" Trimmers 92/9 per week.
" Fitters 92/9 per week.
" Machinists 92/9 per week.
" Pressers, 92/9 per week.
" Piece-work—log rates.

*Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 52/3 per week.
" (trousers and vest hands), order, 47/3 per week.
" Ready-made clothing for men—
Journeywomen on coats, 50/- p. wk.
Journeywomen on trousers and vests, 45/6 per week.
" Piece-work, order—log rates.

Textile Workers—Males, 85/6 to 103/-; Females, 49/6 to 76/6 per week.

Tile-layers, 2/11½$\frac{7}{2}$ per hour.

Tinsmiths, 2/0$\frac{3}{11}$ to 2/7$\frac{10}{11}$ per hour.

Trolly and Draymen—

Timber-carters, 1 horse, 93/6; 2 horses, 98/6; 3 horses, 103/6; 4 horses, 107/6 per week.

Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 per week to 1 ton carrying capacity; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part to 3 tons; over 3 tons 4/- extra.

Carters (General)—1 Horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Casual Drivers—1 horse, 2/5$\frac{5}{11}$ per hour, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.

Tip-carters, 1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; 4/- per week for each extra horse. Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton to 3 tons, 4/- extra for each additional ton or part.

Carters, Retail Stores—1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses 103/6 per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Ice Carters—1 horse, 91/6 per week; 2 horses, 94/6 per week.

*Commonwealth Award.

No. 50.—Rates of Wages, March, 1931—*continued.*

Carters and Motor Waggon Drivers—

Laundry Carters—1 horse, 93/6 per week; with 5/- per week for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—95/6 per week up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part thereof.

Milk Carters—Ordinary delivery, 97/- per week; bulk—1 horse, 94/- per week; 2 horses, 96/- per week; with 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—104/- per week.

Pottery Carters—1 horse, 93/- per week; 2 horses, 98/- per week; 3 horses, 104/- per week; 4 horses, 109/- per week; with 5/- per week extra per man for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—95/- to 111/- per week.

Wholesale Butchers—1 horse, 102/- per week; 2 horses, 109/6 per week; with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—107/- to 114/6 per week.

Motor Waggon Drivers, Retail Stores, 95/6 per week up to 1 ton carrying capacity, 5/- per ton for each additional ton up to 3 tons, and 4/- per ton for each ton over 3 tons. Casual Drivers, 2/5½ per hour and 1/3 per day extra for each ton or part thereof over 1 ton.

Motor Bus Drivers—112/6 per week. Conductors—Males, 70/5 to 90/–, according to age.

Motor Drivers—Private hire drivers, 93/6 Taxi Cab drivers, 96/-.

Upholsterers, males, 98/6 and 108/6 per week; females, 54/6 per week.

Warehouse Employees (other than Softgoods and Drug Warehouses)—Males, 88/6 to 98/6; females, 49/- to 62/, according to age. Drug Warehouse—Males, 93/6 to 108/6; females, 59/3. Softgoods Warehouses—Males, 87/- to 100/-; females, 47/- to 60/-.

†Wharf Labourers—2/5 per hour.

†Wheelwrights, 99/- per week.

Coal Mines.—*Northern District.*

Miners, 2/2 to 6/1 per ton.
Deputies, 23/10 per day.
Shot-firers, 21/1 to 21/7 per day.
Waste-examiners, 21/7 to 21/8 per day.

Engine-drivers—
Loco. engines, 20/6 per day.
Winding, 20/6 to 22/6 per day.
Other engines, 18/1 to 20/6 per day.
Stokers and firemen, 17/6 to 18/1 per day.
Motor attendants or drivers, 17/7 per day.
Shiftmen, 17/6 to 21/7 per day.
Wheelers, 17/9 to 18/3 per day.
Flatters, 17/6 per day.
Water-bailers, 18/3 per day.
Set riders, 18/- per day.
Rolleyway men, 17/6 to 19/3 per day.
Roadlayers, 17/6 to 19/3 per day.
Waggon packers, 17/6 per day.
Banksmen, 18/8 per day.
Shunters, 17/6 per day.
Screenmen, 17/6 per day.
Onsetters, 17/6 to 18/8 per day.
Stablemen, 17/6 per day.
Labourers, 17/6 per day.
Boys and Youths, 6/- to 15/8 per day.

Note.—The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Commonwealth Government Orders, Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

**Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers* (*per month*).

Masters, £23/14/9 to £77/17/-.
Officers, chief, £18/14/- to £31/1/-; 2nd £16/18/- to £27/9/-; 3rd, £17/16/- to £23/8/-; junior, £16/18/-.
Trimmers, £15/2/6; Firemen, £17/2/6.
Engineers, chief, £27/4/6 to £58/1/-; 2nd £22 10/- to £35/18/3; 3rd, £20/0/6 to £28/7/-; 4th, £17/7/- to £24/3/3; 5th, £16/18/-.
Able Seamen, £15/2/6.

Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

Masters, £23/14/9 to £41/17/-.
Officers, chief, £18/14/- to £24/15/-; 2nd £16/18/- to £22/1/-; others, £16/18/- to £18/14/-.
Engineers, £18/5/- to £39/4/9.
Firemen, £17/2/6.
Donkeymen, £18/2/6.
Able Seamen and Trimmers, £15/2/6.
Cooks, £10/19/3 to £19/10/3.
Stewards, £11/16/3 to £18/4/6.

Farm and Station Employees (with rations and lodging), per week.

*Station Employees—
Cooks (station), male 47/10; female 32/2 to 47/10.
Cooks (shearers'), 78/6 and 80/1.
Shearers, no rations, flock sheep 32/6 per 100; others 40/8 and 65/- per 100 (less 7/6 per week).
Shed Hands, 71/7.
Station Hands, 47/10.
Useful Boys (age under 18 to 21), 17/6 to 23/2.
Station Blacksmiths, Farriers, Wheelwrights, Carpenters and Painters (not tradesmen), 47/10; Tradesmen—Award rates.

Farm Employees—
Permanent Farm Hands, 25/- to 35/-.
Harvest Hands, 12/6 per day.
Driver of Reaper and Binder, Stripper and Harvester, 11/- to 12/6 per day.
Stack Builder, 14/- to 17/6 per day.
Team and Tractor Driver, 10/- to 12/- per day.
Potato Digger, 12/- per day (without keep).
Maize Picker, 12/- per day (without keep).
Boys, 10/- to 20/- per week.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cook-General—
Private house, 25/- to 40/-
Cooks (Females)—
Boarding-house, 38/10 to 71/7†
General and Laundress, 41/10.†
House Maid, 36/4.†
General Servants, 12/6 to 30/-
Nursemaids, 10/- to 17/6.
Domestic help, 10/- to 15/-
Gardeners, 20/- to 40/-

† State Award. * Commonwealth Awards.

No. 51.—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney,

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Coal. (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Commodities. (100 items.)
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503
1921	1750	1941	1471	2511	2259	1921	2020	1863	1956
1922	1638	1859	1595	2164	2074	1513	1735	1668	1800
1923	1720	1754	2061	2131	1994	2121	1939	1531	1925
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785
1929	1707	1661	1656	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	1863
1930	1428	1664	1384*	2046	1941	2230	1571	1472	1710*
Monthly—1929-31.								[Basis Year 1911=1000.]	
1929.									
January ...	1655	1670	1736	2187	1921	1856	1848	1470	1814
February ...	1597	1670	1734	2175	1923	2252	1902	1458	1843
March ...	1539	1658	1755	2177	1923	2597	1858	1470	1861
April ...	1520	1657	1724	2188	1927	2707	1911	1458	1870
May ...	1533	1657	1670	2180	1949	2194	1963	1447	1821
June ...	1587	1648	1671	2158	1952	2178	1933	1447	1824
July ...	1771	1652	1637	2154	1967	2053	1851	1463	1841
August ...	1837	1652	1660	2154	1967	2355	1807	1463	1884
September ...	1929	1651	1669	2149	1966	2578	1784	1472	1923
October ...	1968	1674	1590	2149	1972	2677	1795	1456	1936
November ...	1870	1670	1533	2149	1972	2373	1731	1441	1890
December ...	1675	1673	1492	2149	1997	2671	1723	1441	1852
1930.									
January ...	1694	1670	1437*	2159	1976	2690	1652	1464	1844*
February ...	1570	1653	1392*	2156	1976	2433	1705	1464	1787*
March ...	1515	1653	1367*	2156	1975	2338	1705	1464	1762*
April ...	1574	1649	1398*	2152	1957	2109	1675	1464	1751*
May... ...	1583	1643	1433*	2153	1952	2085	1754	1476	1761*
June ...	1550	1635	1412*	2020	1916	2244	1749	1476	1742*
July ...	1488	1650	1400*	1941	1916	2575	1636	1464	1739*
August ...	1482	1669	1413*	1941	1926	2537	1556	1514	1734*
September ...	1267	1668	1395*	1965	1930	2206	1450	1514	1646*
October ...	1245	1665	1312*	1965	1921	1826	1363	1452	1582*
November ...	1144	1690	1334*	1966	1924	1939	1303	1452	1573*
December ...	1025	1726	1318*	1980	1923	1777	1302	1455	1538*
1931.									
January ...	1096	1728	1219*	1980	1916	1687	1357	1486	1535*
February ...	1037	1742	1320*	1980	1905	1516	1473	1599	1533*
March ...	997	1746	1402*	2004	1907	1753	1465	1615	1563*

* Revised figures.

NOTE—The actual price of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales."

No. 52.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Article.	March Quarter, 1931.			December Quarter, 1930.			March Quarter, 1930.		
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Wheat (Milling) ... per bus.	2 2·03	2 1·83	2 1·65	2 8·5	2 7·2	2 4·9	5 2·1	4 8·4	4 5
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Flour (in 150-lb. bags)... per ton	7 13 6	7 5 0	7 9 6	8 12 8	8 3 6	7 15 0	12 12 3	11 10 0	11 0 9
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bran ... ...per bus.	9·00	9·00	8·87	11·83	10·35	9·88	16·98	17·88	18·00
Pollard ... ... ,,	10·20	10·20	9·24	12·00	11·55	11·28	21·60	21·42	18·94
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Oats ... ... ,,	3 3·5	2 8·2	2 8·2	2 9·3	1 9	1 7·8	3 11	3 5·1	3 6·2
Maize ... ... ,,	4 4·5	3 11·2	3 5·9	4 2·5	3 11·8	3 11·5	7 3·5	6 10·3	6·57
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hay (Oaten) ... ... per ton	5 10 0	6 3 6	5 18 2	7 16 3	6 7 6	4 2 6	7 13 3	7 2 6	6 15 0
Potatoes (Local) ... ,,	9 2 7	5 17 0	5 5 0	7 12 4	8 7 9	7 11 6	9 0 0	7 5 0	7 0 0
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Butter (choicest) ... per lb.	16·10	17·78	18·02	16·43	15·25	14·50	20·00	19·75	19·00
Cheese (prime) ... ... ,,	7·25	7·50	8·25	9·08	8·00	7·15	9·25	9·40	10·33
Bacon (sides) ... ... ,,	9·41	9·85	9·72	9·53	9·30	9·40	13·44	13·15	12·58
Lard (bulk) ... ... ,,	9·75	9·42	9·25	9·50	9·69	9·75	9·80	9·00	9·00
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Eggs (case) ... ... per doz.	0 10·8	1 0·9	0 11·7	0 9·4	0 11·2	1 1	1 1·8	1 4·9	1 7
,, (hen new laid) ... ,,	1 2·9	1 5	1 3·4	1 1·1	1 1·7	1 4·9	1 7·2	1 8·9	2 0·5

No. 53.—Average Retail Prices of Food and Groceries—Sydney.

Article.	Unit of quantity.	1930.						1931.						1929.		1930.	
		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.		Jan.		Feb.		Mar.		Mar.		Mar.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bread	2-lb. loaf.	0	5·2	0	5·1	0	5·0	0	4·9	0	5·1	0	5·1	0	5·73	0	5·73
Flour	25-lb. bag.	3	9·4	3	6·5	3	5·0	3	3·3	3	3·1	3	3	4	3·9	4	5·8
Tea	lb.	2	0·9	2	1·2	2	0·8	2	2·1	2	3·7	2	3·7	2	2·0	2	1·5
Coffee and Chicory ...	,,	2	1·4	2	1·5	2	1·0	1	11·7	1	11·7	1	11·7	2	2·4	2	2·1
Sugar (small quantities)	,,	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6	0	4·6
Rice	,,	0	3·6	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·7	0	3·7
Sago	,,	0	3·2	0	3·2	0	3·3	0	3·3	0	3·2	0	3·3	0	3·4	0	3·4
Jam (Australian) ...	,,	0	6·6	0	6·4	0	6·2	0	6·5	0	6·4	0	6·4	0	6·9	0	6·8
Oatmeal (plain) ...	5-lb. bag	1	7·0	1	7·0	1	6·7	1	6·0	1	5·1	1	5·2	1	8·8	1	8·6
Raisins	lb.	0	8·9	0	8·8	0	8·6	0	8·5	0	8·5	0	8·6	0	9·1	0	9·0
Currants	,,	0	8·7	0	8·6	0	8·4	0	8·4	0	8·5	0	8·5	0	9·7	0	9·2
Starch	,,	0	9·3	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·3	0	9·3	0	9·4	0	9·4	0	9·5
Blue	doz. sqs.	1	1·6	1	1·9	1	1·9	1	2·0	1	2·1	1	2·1	1	2·0	1	1·9
Candles	lb.	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·7	0	10·4	0	10·2
Soap	,,	0	5·5	0	5·5	0	5·6	0	5·3	0	5·3	0	5·3	0	5·2	0	5·5
Potatoes	14 lb.	1	8·9	1	9·2	1	9·3	2	0·8	1	5·9	1	5·2	3	0·6	1	11·3
Onions...	lb.	0	1·9	0	1·9	0	2·0	0	2·2	0	2·0	0	1·8	0	2·8	0	2·3
Kerosene	gallon.	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	9·9	1	9·3	1	9·3	1	9·4	1	11·4	1	11·3
Milk (Fresh)	quart.	0	8·3	0	7·9	0	7·8	0	7·6	0	7·5	0	7·4	0	9·1	0	8·7
Butter	lb.	1	7·5	1	6·4	1	5·4	1	6·6	1	8·5	1	8·6	2	0·2	1	10·2
Cheese (new & matured)	,,	1	1·6	1	0·5	0	11·8	0	11·9	0	11·8	1	0·0	1	3·4	1	2·6
Eggs, new-laid ...	doz.	1	5·2	1	5·5	1	7·6	1	7·0	1	8·7	1	6·1	2	4·6	2	2·9
Bacon (Middle cut) ...	lb.	1	4·7	1	4·2	1	3·8	1	2·8	1	2·8	1	2·8	1	8·0	1	7·7
,, (Shoulder) ...	,,	0	10·4	0	10·0	0	10·3	0	10·3	0	10·2	0	10·2	1	1·1	1	0·6
Ham	,,	1	7·8	1	7·3	1	6·5	1	6·3	1	6·3	1	6·4	1	11·8	1	11·3
Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin...	,,	0	10·6	0	10·9	0	10·9	0	10·2	0	9·8	0	9·8	0	11·4	0	11·7
,, Ribs ...	,,	0	8·1	0	8·3	0	8·2	0	7·8	0	7·7	0	7·6	0	8·9	0	8·9
,, Flank ...	,,	0	7·8	0	8·0	0	8·2	0	7·9	0	7·9	0	7·8	0	8·4	0	9·1
,, Gravy ...	,,	0	6·0	0	6·3	0	6·2	0	6·0	0	5·8	0	5·8	0	6·2	0	6·4
Steak—Rump ...	,,	1	3·8	1	4·0	1	4·1	1	3·3	1	2·8	1	2·7	1	4·0	1	4·6
,, Shoulder.	,,	0	8·1	0	8·2	0	8·5	0	8·0	0	7·8	0	7·7	0	8·1	0	8·9
,, Stewing...	,,	0	7·1	0	7·3	0	7·6	0	7·0	0	6·9	0	6·9	0	7·1	0	7·9
Beef (Corned)—Round	,,	0	8·6	0	9·0	0	8·9	0	8·8	0	8·5	0	8·5	0	8·8	0	9·3
Mutton—Leg ...	,,	0	6·9	0	7·5	0	7·3	0	7·0	0	6·6	0	6·6	0	8·8	0	8·1
,, Shoulder ...	,,	0	5·3	0	5·8	0	5·6	0	5·2	0	5·1	0	5·0	0	6·6	0	6·0
,, Loin ...	,,	0	8·2	0	8·7	0	8·2	0	8·4	0	8·1	0	8·1	0	10·3	0	9·4
,, Neck ...	,,	0	3·9	0	4·3	0	4·4	0	3·9	0	3·7	0	3·5	0	6·5	0	4·3
Chops—Loin ...	,,	0	9·5	0	9·9	0	9·6	0	8·9	0	8·6	0	8·2	0	11·9	0	10·6
,, Leg ...	,,	0	8·4	0	9·1	0	8·9	0	8·4	0	7·9	0	7·6	0	10·4	0	9·5
,, Neck ...	,,	0	6·8	0	7·3	0	6·9	0	6·4	0	6·2	0	5·8	0	8·2	0	7·3
Lamb—Forequarter ...	,,	0	7·0	0	7·6	0	7·3	0	6·5	0	6·4	0	6·5	0	8·9	0	7·8
,, Hindquarter...	,,	0	9·7	0	10·3	0	9·9	0	9·4	0	9·2	0	9·0	0	11·6	0	11·0
Pork—Leg	,,	1	0·7	1	1·3	1	0·8	1	0·1	0	11·5	0	11·5	1	2·4	1	2·5
,, Loin	,,	1	0·9	1	1·3	1	1·0	1	0·5	1	0·1	0	11·9	1	3·0	1	3·1
,, Belly	,,	0	10·8	0	11·2	0	10·5	0	9·7	0	9·6	0	9·4	1	0·4	1	0·1
,, Chops	,,	1	1·0	1	1·1	1	1·1	1	0·6	0	11·9	0	11·8	1	3·1	1	3·1

NOTE—The above Prices represent the average predominant rates ruling about the 15th day of each month.

No. 54.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1930.

		1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1930.
Area, 309,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).								
Population.								
31st December ...	1,000 persons	518	782	1,162	1,376	1,702	2,130	2,502
Births	No.	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	51,634	52,136
,, ...	rate	39·04	37·90	34·55	27·71	28·61	25·91	20·94
Deaths	No.	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	20,034	21,252
,, ...	rate	12·61	15·08	14·26	11·72	10·32	9·50	8·54
Marriages	No.	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	18,518	17,383
,, ...	rate	7·78	8·21	7·41	7·71	9·17	8·78	6·98
‡Land Settlement.								
Alienated holdings—								
31 acres and under 1,000	No.	*	29,393	33,668	42,614	49,251	50,166	*
	acres	*	6,520,387	8,422,014	10,332,903	12,878,652	15,315,331	*
1,000 to 10,000 acres ...	No.	*	2,713	4,382	5,043	7,133	10,551	*
	acres	*	7,164,339	11,780,408	13,144,788	17,752,347	26,133,856	*
Over 10,000 acres ...	No.	*	415	656	703	705	788	*
	acres	*	14,100,350	20,843,827	22,392,051	21,312,847	19,554,281	*
‡Agriculture.								
Total area under crop ...	1,000 acres	393	584	846	2,277	3,382	4,464	5,501
Wheat (grain)—Area ...	1,000 acres	154	222	357	1,392	2,129	3,127	3,974
Yield	1,000 bshl.	2,230	3,406	3,964	14,809	27,914	55,625	34,497
Average	bshl.	14·5	15·4	11·1	10·6	13·1	17·8	8·7
Maize (grain)—Area ...	1,000 acres	120	117	175	167	213	144	108
Yield	1,000 bshl.	4,016	4,331	5,722	3,845	7,594	4,176	3,036
Average	bshl.	33·5	36·9	32·8	22·9	35·6	29·0	28·1
Hay—Area	1,000 acres	52	147	164	442	639	854	698
Yield	1,000 tons	77	199	209	473	843	1,375	687
Average	tons	1·50	1·36	1·28	1·07	1·32	1·61	0·98
Value of all Agricultural production	£000	2,220	4,216	3,615	7,060	9,749	32,373	15,438
Value per acre of all crops	£	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/16/2	7/5/0	2/16/2
‡Pastoral, Dairying, etc.								
Sheep	No. (1,000)	16,279	36,592	61,831	41,857	48,830	37,750	48,720
Cattle	No. (1,000)	2,015	2,597	2,129	2,047	3,194	3,375	2,686
Horses	No. (1,000)	304	399	470	487	689	663	535
Pigs	No. (1,000)	213	214	253	266	371	306	323
Wool (as in the grease) ...	1,000 lb.	74,401	161,676	375,600	310,075	404,655	275,269	459,970
Value at Sydney ...	£000	4,760	7,187	11,059	9,072	13,264	13,763	20,123
Butter	1,000 lb.	*	*	18,363	39,057	83,205	84,268	105,022
Cheese	1,000 lb.	*	*	5,506	3,839	5,461	6,407	6,346
Bacon and Ham	1,000 lb.	*	*	6,010	11,081	16,103	16,257	21,616
Value of Pastoral, Dairying and Farmyard Production	£000	8,719	13,151	17,460	15,635	27,120	36,783	
Minerals Won.								
Gold	1,000 oz. fine	294	135	132	174	181	51	12
	£000	1,250	574	559	737	769	217	53
Silver	1,000 oz.	...	...	730	448	1,767	1,963	5
	£	...	...	134,850	50,484	177,095	325,163	267
Silver-Lead, ore, etc. ...	ton	...	...	147,780	417,078	338,469	53,507	279,513
	£000	...	...	3,485	1,804	2,266	539	2,089
Copper—Ingots and ore, etc.	ton	*	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	499	242
	£	11,828	267,884	119,195	412,292	590,102	41,267	8,347
Tin—Ingots and ore ...	ton	...	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	1,595	590
	...	...	568,795	133,963	76,544	307,089	163,451	84,800
Zinc—Spelter Concentrates	£							
	ton	...	...	219	632	516,378	79,694	297,762
	£	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,414,980	283,455	986,087
Coal	1,000 ton	899	1,770	4,038	5,968	8,692	10,793	7,093
	£000	316	603	1,743	2,179	3,167	9,078	5,193
Value of Minerals Won (exclusive of coke, lime, and Portland cement)...	£000	1,626	2,138	6,399	5,575	9,225	12,066	10,094
Value of Minerals at the place of production ...	£000	*	*	*	*	7,392	10,192	7,499
‡Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.								
Value of Production ...	£000	324	492	758	986	2,213	4,089	4,131
Primary Industries.								
Value of Production ...	£000	12,889	19,997	28,232	29,256	46,474	83,437	
‡Factories.								
Establishments	No.	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,837	8,208
Persons employed	males	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,083	112,187	125,769
,, ,, ...	females	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	32,824	41,921
Salaries and Wages paid...	£000	*	*	4,273	4,952	10,048	25,619	34,876
Value of Plant and Machinery	£000	*	*	4,386	5,861	12,511	31,115	53,515
Value of Output	£000	*	*	16,807	25,648	54,346	137,841	167,251
‡Manufacturing Industry.								
Value of Production ...	£000	2,490	5,183	7,799	10,011	19,432	43,128	66,848
,, ,,	per head £	4/18/–	6/15/6	6/16/7	7/6/6	11/13/5	20/12/8	26/19/7
Production all recorded Industries	£000	15,379	25,180	36,066	39,373	65,906	126,565	
,, ,, ,,	per head £	30/5/3	32/18/3	31/11/7	28/15/10	39/11/6	60/10/11	
‡Shipping.								
Inwards, Vessels	No.	1,891	2,254	2,602	2,760	3,127	3,019	2,623
,, ,, ...	net tons (1,000)	706	1,456	2,752	4,133	6,822	7,123	8,259
Outwards, Vessels ...	No.	2,123	2,103	2,654	2,853	3,146	3,023	2,600
,, ,, ...	net tons (1,000)	794	1,330	2,801	4,274	6,834	7,122	8,188

* Information not available. ‡Year ended 30th June.

No. 54.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1930—*continued.*

		1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1930.
‡Trade.								
Imports, Oversea ...	£000	5,482	11,829	15,128	17,560	27,343	72,466	57,130
,, ,, per head	£	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	23/1/1
Exports, Oversea ...	£000	5,453	9,754	14,621	18,211	32,161	52,602	35,762
,, ,, per head	£	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	14/8/8
Interstate Transfers—								
Inwards	£000	4,453	5,758	10,256	9,368	*	*	*
Outwards	£000	5,808	6,554	11,323	9,140	*	*	*
‡Produce ot New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note).								
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops)	1,000 lb.	38,323	81,907	235,471	217,286	297,829	180,782	325,289
	£000	2,293	4,108	7,670	7,420	11,980	12,822	16,236
Wheat and Flour** ...	1,000 bus.	8	22	55	5,205	14,325	24,727	7,133
	£000	2	5	12	681	2,519	11,191	1,658
Butter**	1,000 lb.	115	402	402	8,700	33,044	28,429	20,328
	£000	27	12	18	379	1,519	3,458	1,444
Frozen Mutton and Lamb**	1,000 lb.	...	*	*	39,370	59,949	21,472	34,768
	£000	...	*	*	382	682	681	777
Other Meats**	£000	131	192	198	490	981	1,347	872
Tallow	£000	245	244	293	363	871	615	429
Leather	£000	84	130	131	347	324	524	288
Skins and Hides	£000	38	130	376	431	1,145	1,912	2,875
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold)	£000	249	1,214	1,392	1,893	4,073	7,088	2,558
Timber, undressed ...	£000	4	13	44	76	244	438	169
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note)	£000	4,059	8,153	11,215	13,268	27,491	48,303	33,878
‡Public Finance.								
Revenue proper	£000	2,216	6,551	9,773	10,612	13,882	34,031	§19,751
,, per head ...	£	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	§7/19/5
Expenditure proper ...	£000	2,667	626	10,216	9,992	14,471	34,477	§21,130
,, per head ...	£	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/9/10	§8/10/7
,, General Loan	£000	489	2,397	4,750	2,785	3,922	14,701	10,879
,, ,, per head	£	0/19/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	4/7/10
‡Public Debt.								
Total	£000	10,614	16,924	52,951	67,361	95,524	164,336	259,590
Per head	£	20/10/-	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	104/7/9
‡Trading Banks.								
Deposits	£000	7,044	20,308	35,660	33,258	55,327	107,676	130,418
Advances	£000	7,668	20,936	45,069	35,069	42,457	104,709	151,024
Assets	£000	11,592	27,870	53,596	43,438	61,907	132,434	178,031
Liabilities	£000	8,017	22,394	37,590	35,078	57,755	111,409	139,991
‡Savings Banks.								
Accounts	No.	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	1,126,157	1,729,553
Deposits	£000	946	2,699	5,342	11,809	25,361	57,394	82,268
Average per depositor ...	£	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	47/11/4
Average per inhabitant ...	£	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/8	33/1/8
‡State Railways.								
Line open	miles	358	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	5,974
Capital cost	£000	5,887	13,302	31,769	38,933	50,972	82,304	120,318
Passengers...	No. (1,000)	759	6,907	19,038	29,261	60,920	120,735	147,893
Net earnings	£000	158	706	1,143	1,456	2,351	3,235	2,864
Net return on capital invested	per cent.	2·68	5·30	3·59	3·78	4·67	4·01	2·28
‡State Tramways.								
Line open	miles	...	9½	43	79	190	227	211
Capital cost	£000	...	169	1,004	2,194	5,122	9,061	11,765
Passengers...	No. (1,000)	...	7,090	68,051	93,704	230,276	337,690	307,790
Net Earnings	£000	...	10	53	89	222	528	278
Net return on capital invested	per cent.	...	6·16	5·32	4·06	4·53	5·93	2·36
‡Postal.								
Offices	No.	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,609	2,676
Letters and Post Cards ...	No. (1,000)	7,509	26,534	68,987	82,783	189,656	262,026	*
,,	per head	94·77	34·68	60·41	60·56	113·87	125·35	*
Newspapers ,, ...	No. (1,000)	3,902	16,528	42,517	52,313	71,619	63,261	*
,, ...	per head	7·86	21·60	37·23	38·27	43·00	30·26	*
‡Telegraphs and Telephones.								
Telegraph Stations ...	No.	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,252	3,093
Telegrams and Cablegrams	No. (1,000)	219	1,607	4,046	3,449	5,864	8,536	6,843
Telephone Line Connections	No.	...	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	74,490	150,606
‡Money Orders.								
Issued in New South Wales	£000	293	772	1,578	1,637	2,819	5,830	8,156
Paid in New South Wales	£000	272	675	1,519	1,670	2,949	5,897	7,949
State Education.								
Public Schools	No.	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,216	3,217
Teachers	No.	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,594	12,377
Scholars on roll ...	No.	39,070	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	315,228	380,645
Average attendance ...	No.	*	*	122,528	154,404	160,776	248,606	314,052
Expenditure by State ...	£000	133	509	770	762	1,243	3,559	4,485

* Information not available. ** Includes Ship Stores exported oversea. ‡ Year ended 30th June.
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Note—The exports in 1921 and 1930 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.

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